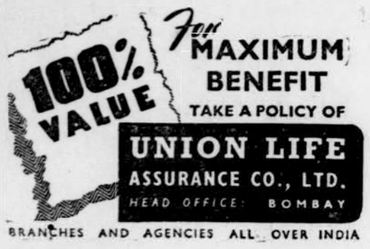

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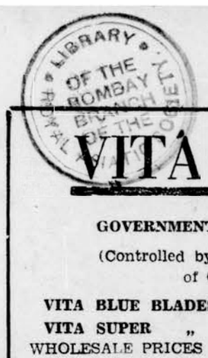

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Sastri's Emissary To Mahatma

GANDHIJI TO TAKE FIRST DOSE OF MEDICINE FOR HOOKWORM TO-DAY

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

The first dose of medicine for hookworm infection will be administered to Gandhiji to-morrow. The treatment is oral.

Since the medicine was not available in Bombay, a frantic search was made in other cities and a third parcel arrived at Juhu to-day.

The treatment is of an effective nature so that Gandhiji will be free from this infection within a short period.

After a day of silence a slight improvement in Gandhiji's health was noted to-day.

He was examined this morning. It was, however, decided not to issue any bulletin in the morning. What form of further medical treatment should be given to Gandhiji, is likely to depend on the result of the examination of his blood now being conducted by Dr. K. T. Gajjar in his laboratory.

It is considered by those who attend upon him that Gandhiji should not strain himself by prolonged discussions of political nature.

Among the visitors to Gandhiji in the earlier part of the afternoon to-day was Mr. T. R. Venkatrama Sastry, Ex-President of the National Liberal Federation. Mr. Shastry spent about twenty minutes with Mahatmaji. The visit was under directions from the Rt. Hon. V. S. Srinivasa Sastry.

After his return from Gandhiji's shack, Mr. Venkatrama Sastry told the press that the purpose of his visit was to enquire after Gandhiji's health. He will inform the Rt. Hon. Srinivasa Sastry about Mahatmaji's health. After receiving this report Mr. Srinivasa Sastry will decide the time when he should start communicating with Gandhiji.

In reply to a press query, Mr. Venkatrama Sastry said that he had not brought any letter from the Rt. Hon. Srinivasa Sastry for Gandhiji.

Mr. S. A. Brelvi paid a visit to Gandhiji before prayer time. Mr. Nagindas T. Master, Mayor of Bombay and Mr. Mathuradas Trikumji were the other visitors during the day.

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Dr. Roy To Examine Mahatmaji

CALCUTTA, June 6.

It is understood that Dr. B. C. Roy will leave to-morrow for Bombay to examine Mr. Gandhi and that the question of Mr. Gandhi moving from Juhu to some other place will be decided after the examination. Dr. Roy will return to Calcutta on June 13.—A. P.

SECRET WEAPONS FOR INVASION

LONDON, June 6

It is officially revealed by the London Ministry of Supply that many secret weapons were used for the first time by invading troops.—Reuter.

EISENHOWER PRESSES BUTTON

Story Of Invasion Of France

From Reuter's Special Correspondent at Advance Command Post Supreme Allied Headquarters, June 6: General Eisenhower pressed the button for the invasion of France from this camp in the depth of the sleeping English countryside.

Here in a motor trailer he is directing the first phase of the most gigantic amphibious operation far from his great base headquarters, surrounded by only a nucleus unit of his field commanders and his ace staff officers. It was at night that General Eisenhower made his great decision. Final weather forecasts determined his course of action, and in the morning, General Eisenhower held another conference to confirm it.

For an hour and a half yesterday afternoon, General Eisenhower sat and talked of his plans to four war correspondents, representing the combined British and American press and radio. Not once did a single telephone on his desk ring. Not once did a message arrive to interrupt him. So smooth has been the 24 hours before—hour that General Eisenhower left his camp twice to say godspeed to his assault teams.

Last night, General Eisenhower was away for seven hours on a grand tour of a chain of aerodromes where American parachute crews were preparing and taking off. With casual questions, jests and cheery back answers the General brought the last satisfied smile to faces already grim for the adventure. As dusk fell and the air began to hum with the sound of planes carrying the first troops to land in France, General Eisenhower called at the Mansions Headquarters of one of the airborne units.

The air outside the mullioned windows was now full of the roar of Douglas Airliners. It was only a few hours to hour. Ships were in midchannel. Every overcrowded airfield in England was reverberating. Airborne troops parachuted to their tough tense tasks. The weather experts had been right.

Eisenhower's Appeal To Frenchmen

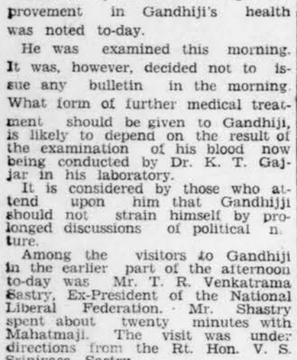
LONDON, June 6: General Eisenhower in a message broadcast to the people of Western Europe this morning said "people of western Europe. A landing was made this morning on the coast of France by troops of the Allied expeditionary force. This landing is but the opening phase of the campaign in Western Europe. Great battles lie ahead. I call upon all who love freedom to stand with us now. Keep your faith staunch. Our arms are resolute. Together we shall achieve victory."—Reuter.

KING'S BROADCAST

LONDON, June 6: The King broadcasting to his people to-night (Tuesday) said "Once more the supreme test has to be faced. This time the challenge is not to fight to survive but to fight to win final victory for a good cause. Once again what is demanded from us all is something more than courage and endurance; we need a revival of the spirit, a new unconquerable resolve. After nearly five years of toil and suffering, we must renew that crusading impulse on which we entered the war and met its darkest hour that we may be worthily matched with this new summons of destiny I desire solemnly to call my people to prayer and dedication. We are not unmindful of our own shortcoming, past and present, we shall not ask that God may do our will but we desire solemnly to call my people to may do the will of God: and we dare to believe that God has used our nation and empire as an instrument for fulfilling his high purpose."

"No Special Embargo On Gandhiji's Replies"

BOMBAY, June 6: "To remove any misunderstanding attaching to the report that Mr. Gandhi's replies to questions asked by bodies outside India would be censored, it is emphasised that no special embargo has been applied, but that all letters and telegrams leaving India are censored for purely military reasons, and this correspondence would be subject to the same treatment as all others" says a press note issued by the Government of Bombay to-day.—A. P.



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HITLER HURRIES TO FRANCE TO MEET ALLIED INVASION

Allies Land At Several Places: Fierce Battle Raging Near Rouen: Drive To Capture Cherbourg: Churchill Satisfied With Progress Of Operations

LONDON, JUNE 6.

IT IS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED THAT ALLIED ARMIES HAVE LANDED ON THE NORTH COAST OF FRANCE. THE GERMAN OVERSEAS NEWS AGENCY SAYS THE INVASION HAS BEGUN. IT ADDS THAT THE INVASION BEGAN BY THE LANDING OF PARACHUTISTS AT THE MOUTH OF THE SEINE RIVER.

According to the German News Agency D. N. B., at least four Anglo-American parachute and air-borne divisions are taking part in the Allied invasion.

The Allied air and sea-borne troops which landed on the coast of the Seine bay early this morning, have already been reinforced.

D. N. B. reports on Tuesday afternoon that at two points, the Allies have penetrated several miles to the South.

The German Trans-Ocean News Agency announces that Allied troops have landed on Guernsey and Jersey.

Tanks have landed in the area of Arromanches, according to the German News Agency.

EISENHOWER'S MESSAGE

GENERAL EISENHOWER BROADCASTING TO EUROPE AND THE WORLD THROUGH THE B.B.C. SAID: "LANDING IS PART OF A CONCERTED PLAN FOR THE LIBERATION OF EUROPE IN CONJUNCTION WITH OUR RUSSIAN ALLIES. THOSE WHO HAVE MADE COMMON CAUSE WITH THE ENEMY WILL BE REMOVED."

HITLER MOVES HEADQUARTERS

HITLER IS TAKING PERSONAL COMMAND OF ALL ANTI-INVASION OPERATIONS. ACCORDING TO NEWS REACHING LONDON FROM UNDERGROUND SOURCES, WRITES REUTER'S MILITARY CORRESPONDENT.

HE ADDS THAT HITLER IS BELIEVED TO HAVE MOVED HIS HEADQUARTERS SOMEWHERE IN NORTHERN FRANCE SO AS TO BE NEARER THE SCENE OF OPERATIONS.

CHURCHILL SATISFIED

LONDON, June 6.

Mr. Churchill, in a statement to the House of Commons tonight said "I can state that this operation is proceeding in 'thoroughly satisfactory manner.'

The text of Mr. Churchill's statement reads "I promised to report to the House later on in the sitting, and I have been at the centre where the latest information is received and I can state to the house that this operation is proceeding in a thoroughly satisfactory manner (cheers).

The resistance of batteries has been greatly weakened by the bombing of the airforce, and the superior bombardment of our ships quickly reduced their fire to dimensions which did not affect the problem.

The landing of troops on a broad front both British and American and Allied troops—I will not give lists of what different nationalities they represented or States they represented—but the landings along the whole front have been effective, and our troops have penetrated in some cases several miles inland. Lodgments exist on a broad front.

An outstanding feature has been the landingsg of airborne troops which were, of course, on a scale far larger than anything that has been seen so far in the world. These landings took place with extremely little loss and with great accuracy.

Particular anxiety attached to them, because conditions of light prevailing in the very limited period just before dawn—conditions of visibility made all the difficulty. Naval operations are proceeding according to plan and the heavy bombardment from sea and air has silenced German coastal batteries. Naval losses are described as "very very small". It might easily have been that something might have happened at the last minute, which would not enable the airborne troops to play their part. A very great degree of risk had to be taken in respect of the weather, but General Eisenhower's courage is equal to all the necessary decisions that had to be taken in all these extremely difficult and uncontrollable matters (cheers).

Airborne troops are well established and landings and follow ups are all proceeding with much less loss than we expected—very much less loss. Fighting is proceeding at various points. We have captured various bridges which are important and which have not been blown up by the enemy, and fighting is even proceeding in town of Caen inland. But all these very valuable first steps—essential first steps—of course give no indication whatever of what may be course of battle in next days and weeks, because the enemy will now probably endeavour to concentrate on this area, and in that event heavy fighting will soon begin and will continue without any end as fast as we can push troops in and the enemy can bring other troops up. It is, therefore, a most serious time we are entering upon, and we enter upon it with our great Allies all in good heart and in good friendship."—Reuter.

CALAIS AND DUNKIRK BOMBED

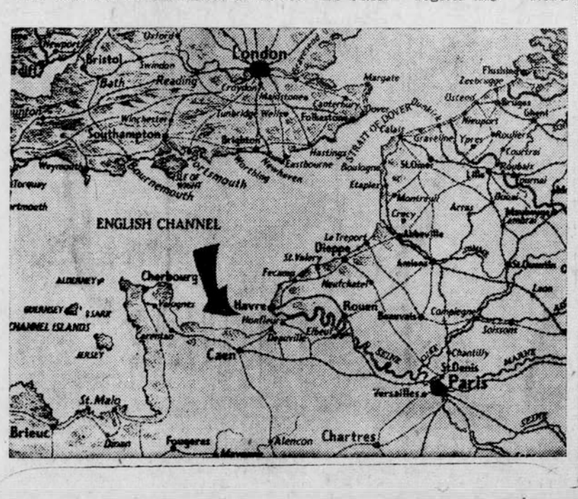
"The harbour of Le Havre is at the moment being bombarded. German naval forces have engaged enemy landing craft off the coast. The long expected invasion appears to have begun."

The German News Agency said, "Simultaneously with the landing of airborne troops in the area of the Seine estuary strong Allied bomber formations attacked areas Calais and Dunkirk. German air defences went into action. So far no enemy troops have been landed at these points.

OUTSKIRTS OF PARIS BOMBED

The Paris Radio said today, "During all day yesterday and during the night the Anglo-American air forces continues their attacks on French territory. During evening hours the outskirts of Paris were again bombed.

The Seine and Oise Department also suffered attacks. In addition to the Paris region the 'Nord' Department and 'Pas da Calais' were objectives of the Allies who—during yesterday—also attacked several places in Loire and Cher and the town of Saumur."



Fifth Army's Advance Beyond Tiber

VATICAN CITY COMPLETELY BY-PASSED

MEDITERRANEAN ALLIED FORCE ADVANCE HQRS. June 6.

Fifth Army troops have advanced some five miles beyond the Tiber after crossing the river at many places according to to-day's "communique.

The 'communique' said "ARMY: With the capture of Rome Allied armies in Italy have brought another phase of campaign to a most successful conclusion. Battle to destroy the enemy continues without a pause. Troops of the Fifth Army are now crossing the Tiber at many places and have advanced some five miles beyond. Only weak resistance is being encountered at present in this sector.

In the Hills north of Highway Six, the enemy is still resisting strongly troops of the Eghharmy in order to cover his withdrawal.

PALENA ABANDONED

Palena station and some mountain positions in that sector have been abandoned by the enemy.

AIR: Tactical aircraft concentrated their attacks yesterday on lines of communication leading to the battle zone. Medium bombers struck at a number of road bridges in west and central Italy and north of Rome. Medium forces of heavy bombers carried out attacks against rail communications in Northern Italy bombing yards at Ferrara Castel Maggiore, Bologna, Faenza and Forli as well as several bridges.

Aircraft and installations on aerodromes in the Po valley were attacked by fighters. During the day's operations four enemy aircraft were destroyed. Thirteen of ours are missing. Eight enemy aircraft were seen by our aircraft over battle area in daylight. The M.A.A.F. flew approximately 2,400 sorties. Last night our bombers attacked objectives in Viterbo area."

General Alexander's men are making good progress to the north of Rome and west of Tiber it was officially stated here to-day. Of 14 main Tiber bridges, 11 were found intact and Allied armour rapidly crossing them have fanned out in a wide area three miles west of Rome with leading elements several miles further ahead.

GERMANS FALL BACK IN DISORDER

West of the Tiber, the Germans are falling back in some disorder. British troops advancing along the coast have reached Tiber at several points and have already taken more than 2,000 prisoners. Others are pouring in with the Germans trapped as all the bridges down-stream from Rome have been destroyed.

It was officially stated to-day that the Vatican City was completely by passed during all the Rome action.

General Leese's Eighth Army men have now linked up with the Fifth Army troops in the Rome sector where French troops have captured. Tivoli.

PANTHER'S LEAP INTO EUROPE

The German Trans-Ocean News Agency Military Correspondent says:

"It does not matter whether the Allies are trying a feint or whether they have really dared a panther's leap into Europe. The German defence preparations are complete. Approaching the European coasts, the invaders are experiencing an inferno compared to which Dante's hell was a mere child's play."

EISENHOWER WARNS EUROPEANS

According to German reports it was in the early hours of this morning that people in Western Europe were warned that they must prepare for the invasion.

A member of the staff of General Eisenhower, Supreme Commander in charge of the invasion forces, broadcast what was described as an "urgent warning" that they must expect and prepare for a new phase of the Allied air offensive.

People living within 22 miles of the coast were particularly warned. They were told that British and American expeditionary forces were landing and that they must be ready for even increased air attacks.

The Allied "communique" announcing the invasion news was issued by the Supreme Headquarters, Allied Expeditionary force and was marked "communique" number one.

Further Warning Later

The Supreme Commander's spokesman added that further warnings would be given in advance to towns in which certain military objectives would be subjected to heavy air attacks

He said the warnings would be given in the form of leaflets dropped by aircraft sometimes within an hour of the actual attack.

In these instances the people living in these towns were urged to leave their homes instantly, not to bother about their personal effects, and to make for the open country.

They were also warned of the danger of gathering in large crowds and of remaining near any obvious military targets such as railway stations.

Battle North Of Rouen

Paris Radio quoting the "last minute dispatch from the battlefield" announced at 6-30 (G.M.T.) "A vicious battle is raging north of Rouen between powerful Allied paratroop formations and German Anti-Invasion forces".

These paratroops have landed behind the Atlantic wall defences.

Battle In Caen Area

The German controlled Paris radio said this afternoon "The Germans are putting up very stiff resistance in the Caen area. The town area itself has been sorely tried. The enemy appears to be penetrating deeper inland. It has now become clear that the main Allied blow is not directed against Havre but that General Eisenhower is concentrating his efforts to capture Cherbourg.

Allied paratroopers are now striving to capture airfields in Normandy."—Reuter.

Cherbourg The Objective

The German-Controlled Paris Radio said: "It is now clear that General Eisenhower is concentrating on the capture of Cherbourg.

ALLIES SLASHING INLAND

NEW YORK: A report from the Eighth U.S.A.A.F. photo reconnaissance base says that Allies have established beachheads in Northern France and are slashing inland according to the first photo reconnaissance of pilots back from the landings.

OVER FOUR OR FIVE HURDLES

The Allies are over the first four or five hurdles of this operation it is stated tonight (Tuesday).

MONTGOMERY IN COMMAND

It is announced General Montgomery is in Command of the army group carrying out the assault. This army group includes British, Canadian, and United States forces.

Landing Of Tank Groups

The German News Agency said: "Fighting is at present going on in the Isigny-Carentin area at the Vire Estuary where the German Atlantic

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The cloth sold through the authorised shops will be cheaper than what was till the end of May.

For goods manufactured prior to June 1, public will have to pay only 10 per cent above the ex-mill price.

Several merchants from Cawnpore and Amritsar came to Bombay on Monday and represented to the Textile Department that the distributing agencies selected for frozen cloth in these areas were unsatisfactory. Merchants from Amritsar complained that some of the merchants chosen to sell frozen cloth were traders who did not hold a license before 1941.

These merchants, it is understood were asked by the Textile Department officials to represent their grievances to the respective provincial governments.

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FOOD PROBLEM IN PROVINCES

Director-General On Impressions Of His Tour

NEW DELHI, June 5.

Provincial administrations show today a keener appreciation of the All-India food position, while naturally concentrating on solving their own local food problems, according to Mr. B. R. Sen, Director-General, Food, who has returned to Delhi, after a tour of Bombay, Central Provinces and Madras.

The object of his visit was to establish personal contact with Provincial food administrations and discuss with them the food position in their respective areas, with special reference to problems of storage of foodgrains, their procurement and price fixation.

The measures necessiated by the recent damage to the local wheat crop were discussed with the Central Provinces' authorities, while in Bombay discussions centred mainly on the Bombay Government's "Grow-More-Food" Bill, its compulsory levy scheme of grain procurement, and the prices fixed for the new millet crop.

Commenting on the situation in Malabar, which was discussed with the Madras Government, Mr. Sen stated that the position had been difficult mainly because of delays in arrival of quotas, but arrangements have been made for timely despatches, and in future the full monthly quotas would be received on schedule. Action is also being taken to requisition locally produced rice in Malabar. —A. P.

Victoria Cross For Naik Nand Singh

NEW DELHI, June 6

It is announced that His Majesty the King has approved the award of the Victoria Cross to No. 13068 Naik Nand Singh, of the 11th Sikh Regiment, for outstanding gallantry and leadership in action against the enemy in the Kalapanzin valley, Arakan Front, on March 12 last. This is the Eighth Victoria Cross won by men of the Indian Army in this area, seven having been awarded to Indians and one to a British officer.—A. P.

Patrol Clashes Near Imphal

Chinese Advance In Myitkyina Sector

KANDY, June 6

To-day's South-East Asia Command communique said "At Myitkyina, General Stilwell's forces have captured a Japanese position on the Northern edge of the town and destroyed defences in the South and South-Western sectors Our troops repulsed an enemy attack on the road block south-east of Kamaing and then driving northwards occupied the villages of Seton and Tumbonbrka.

In Mogaung, the Chinese advanced on both sides of the road west of the river. Tangaoyon, south of Kansi and near Mansum, has been captured by the Chinese. Our forces have established a roadblock south of Tiangzup. On June 3 and 4, there were patrol clashes in the neighbourhood of the Imphal—Ukhrul road in one of which the Japanese suffered sixty casualties. In the Bishenpur area, Ninthoukong has now been completely cleared of the enemy except for a small pocket in in the south.

East of Kohima, the enemy has made further withdrawals. South of Jessami, a patrol ambushed a Japanese party and inflicted casualties. There is no change on the Aradura spur.

In the Arakan, at the southern end of the Burmese front, there was normal patrol activity.

On June 4 and 5, R.A.F. fighters, fighter-bombers and dive-bombers of the Third Tactical Airforce attacked enemy targets at Kangpokpi, near Kanglatongbi, and in the Kohima, the Somra and Kabaw, valley areas as well as at Thoungdut (Upper Chindwin) and on the Tiddim road.

In North Burma U.S.A.A.F. aircraft on June 4 bombed and strafed supply dumps gun positions and other targets from Mogaung to Myitkyina and Waingmaw and at Hopin and Bilumyo, north-west of Honyin.

On June 5, long-range fighters attacked the railway from Tangon to Sagaing, Mandalay and Thazi. From all these operations, no Allied aircraft are missing."—A. P.

FIVE ENEMY POSITIONS NEAR MYITKYINA SEIZED

NEW DELHI, June 6: General Joseph Stilwell's Chinese-American troops continue mopping up Japanese positions in Myitkyina, says a press note from General Stilwell's headquarters in India.

One ehemy strong-point on the north edge of the city and four positions in the south and south-west sectors have been seized. In the Fort Hertz valley, our forces have installed a road block south of Tiangzup.

In the Kamaing area, in a drive northward from the roadblock south-east of the city, the village of Seton has been taken after first repulsing an attack on the road block an over-running Tumbonghka. Leading elements of Chinese troops in the Mogaung valley. Tangaoyan south of Kansi, was captured by the Chinese.—A. P.

Wrestler Comes To Grief

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Bandu Baji (30), a Dock labourer, residing at Umarkhadi, alleged to have had a wrestling match in a gymnasium at Umarknadi with his brother-in-law Pandharinath Tatya (35) yesterday afternoon, when the latter's knee struck the former (deceased) in the abdomen. Couple of hours later, Bandu Baji complained of pain in the abdomen and was taken to the J. J. Hospital where he died in the evening.

At the inquest held yesterday at the Coroner's Court it was recorded that the death was caused by perforation of intestine.

MAN SCALDED TO DEATH

At the inquest held yesterday over the death of Anawar Subrati (35), an employee in Amrit Banaspati Co., Mazagaon, a verdict of death caused by shock from extensive scalds sustained from boiling water, (while on duty) in a cask which accidentally fell was recorded to-day at the Coroner's Court.

Bangkok Attacked

CALCUTTA, June 6.

Strong forces of heavy bombers of the strategic air force, Eastern Air Command, dealt Bangkok its heaviest blow of the war on June 5..

The city's defences apparently were caught by surprise, as the formations conveged on the target at great height from all angles, dropping a record tonnage of demolition and incendiary bombs for a raid on the important Japanese port of Bangkok.—A. P.

I.C.S. Officer Committed To Sessions

RAJAHMUNDRY, June 5.

Orders were pronounced today by Rao Bahadur T. S. Rajamayya, Special First Class Magistrate, in the case in which Mr. T. S. Swaminathan, I.C.S., a former Sub-Collector and Mr. K. Atchutaramaiah, a former Magisterial Clerk of the joint Magistrate's Court, Rajahmundry, were charge-sheeted by the police for alleged criminal conspiracy, criminal breach of trust, misappropriation and falsification of court records.

The Migistrate framed 49 charges under various sections of the I.P.C. against both the accused, and committed them to take their trial before the Sessions Judge, east Godavari, at Rajahmundry.

In all 130 witnesses were examined for the prosecution.—A. P.

CORRUPTION AMONG GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

(From Our Correspondent.)

NEW DELHI, June 5.

Proposals to take more powers to deal with the menace of corruption amongst Government employees are believed to be under examination here. Government have already set up a separate police department to detect and investigate cases to bring offenders to book. Provision also exists for special courts and summary trial of such cases.

It is suggested that Government should look into the contents of valuables kept in safe deposit vaults by Government servants and also ascertain how many currency notes of 1,000 and 10,000 denominations have not been returned to the Reserve Bank from circulation.

It is alleged that most of the ill gotten wealth of Government employees is kept in these Reserve Bank notes of higher denominations than 1,000 and kept in safe deposit vaults. Government are likely to take powers to deal with this aspect of the question.

CALCUTTA: It is understood the Governor of Bengal has commuted the sentence of one year's rigorous imprisonment passed on Captain S. H. Dekantzow, an Australian pilot in the China National Aviation Corporation, by Mr. Justice Khundkar at the High Court Sessions for alleged illegal possession of arms and ammunition, into a fine of Rs. 1,000.

SATIRANJAN MEMORIAL SHIELD TOURNAMENT

The Satiranjan Memorial Shield Football Tournament which is open to all civil and military teams, senior and junior, in the province of Bombay, will commence at the St. Xavier's College Gymkhana ground Parel, on Sunday, July 2. Entries for same will close on Saturday, June 24. Special care is taken by the Indian Football League Committee, who manage this tournament to see that none of their matches clash with W.I.F.A.'s engagements. It is expected that all the prominent teams in the city will compete in it. Entry fees is Rs. 15 per team. Further particulars from the Hon. Secretary, Indian Football League, Shri Krishna Nivas, Hospital Avenue, Parel, Bombay.

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1,00,000 Ordinary Shares of Rs. 10/- each and 1,00,000 6 p.c. British Indian tax free Cumulative Preference Shares of Rs. 10/- each.

PRESENT ISSUE:

45,000 Ordinary Shares (inclusive of 2,000 shares taken by signatories to the Memorandum) Rs. 4,50,000
40,000 Preference Shares (cumulative and tax free) Rs 4,00,000

WITH

950 5½p.c. British Indian tax free Debentures of Rs. 500/- each Rs. 4,75,000

METHOD OF PAYMENT

The value of shares, ordinary and preference are payable at the rate of Rs. 5/- per share on application and

Rs. 5/- per share on allotment.

The value of debentures are payable in full on application i.e. (Rs. 500).

(The Directors and their friends have agreed to take five lakhs of rupees by way of ordinary and preference shares in about equal proportion and will be allotted in full and the balance of rupees three lakhs fifty thousand ordinary and preference shares will be available for 'pro-rata' allotment.)

DEBENTURE ISSUE

The Debenture issue consists of 950 first mortgage debentures of Rs. 500 each, carrying interest at the rate of 5½p.c. per annum. Interest shall be British Indian tax free and paid half yearly on the 30th June and 31st December, every year. No further issue of debentures will be made ranking in priority to or pari passu with the present issue.

The debentures are redeemable on 31st December 1956, but at the option of the company they are liable to be redeemed prior to that date, by annual instalments not exceeding 10 p.c. every year, commencing from 31st December, 1948. The debentures for such prior redemption shall be drawn by lots. The company shall create a sinking fund on 1st January 1946 to which Rs. 33,000/- shall be paid and it shall continue to pay every January similar amounts till 1956.

A draft copy of the Debenture Trust Deed, initialled for purposes of identification by Mr. B. N. Visvanathan, Debenture Trustee Designate, is made available for inspection at the Registered Office.

DEBENTURE TRUSTEE

Mr. B. N. Visvanathan, M.A., B.L., 310/311, Linga Chetty Street, G.T., Madras.

DIRECTORS

1. Sri M. S. PERIASWAMI NADAR, "Spring Haven", Yercaud, Salem, Director: The Sheveroy Estates Ltd., The Savamalai Estates Ltd. The Neelamalai Tea & Coffee Estates Ltd., The Devicolam Estates Ltd., The Nelliampathy Tea & Produce Co. Ltd.
2. Dr. T. S. DURAISWAMY, Ophthalmic Surgeon, Theagarayanagar, Madras. Director: The Kothamangalam Rubber Estates Ltd., The Periyar Valley Rubber Estates Ltd., The Manjappara Estates Ltd., The Payannur Plantations Ltd.
3. Mr. A. S. PADMANABAN, Railway Road, Tennore, Trichinopoly. Director: The Karaikkal Electric Supply Co., Ltd., The Kothamangalam Rubber Estates Ltd., The Periyar Valley Rubber Estates Ltd., The Manjappara Estates Ltd., The Payannur Plantations Ltd.
4. Mr. V. CHANDY ITTY, B.A. (Ex-officio), Managing Director. The Bank of Deccan Ltd., Kottayam. Director: The Payannur Plantations Ltd., Managing Director: The Oriental Trades Ltd.

BROKERS & UNDERWRITERS

Messrs. B. N. V. & Co., Stock & Share Brokers and Members: Madras Stock Exchange Association Ltd. 310/311, Lingha Chetty Street, G.T. Madras.

BANKERS.

The Bharat Bank Ltd., Madras.

AUDITORS.

Messrs. M. S. Krishnaswami & Jagannathan, Registered Accountants & Auditors, Theyagarayanagar, Madras.

LEGAL ADVISERS.

Sri N. D. Varadachariar, B.A., B.L. & Sri R. Visvanathan, B.A., B.L., Advocates, 310/311, Lingha Chetty Street, G. T. Madras.

MANAGING AGENTS:

The Indian Trades & Investments Ltd.,

24, Thirumurthy Street, Theagarayanagar, Madras.

REGISTERED OFFICE:

24, Thirumurthy Street, Theagarayanagar, Madras.

OBJECTS OF THE COMPANY

The Company has been formed for the purposes set out in the Memorandum of Association (copy of which is annexed hereto to form part of this) and primarily with the object of acquiring and working the Anai-mad, Seetagundy and Palagapandy Estates on the Nelliampathy Hills in British Malabar, now belonging to the Anglo-American Direct Tea Trading Co., Ltd., of Scotland.

THE ESTATES

They command the crest of the fertile Nelliampathy Hills in South India. A motor road 33 miles in length, connects them with Kollengode and another, 51 miles in length with Trichur, both important stations on the South Indian Railway. Trichur being but 40 miles away from the port of Cochin, the estates are within easy reach of the harbour. The Seetharkunda Post Office is within the estates.

The Seetagundy and Palagapandy divisions lie adjoining each other. The Anai-mad division is 9 miles away and is reached by a motorable road traversing Seetagundy. A net work of roads running through the estates afford facility for regular inspection of even the remote portions of the property.

The lands are held under leases from the Rajah of Kollengode for stipulated periods under the Malabar Tenancy Act, and are, for all practical purposes, non-redeemable. The aggregate of rents and taxes payable annually is only, Rs. 5,555

PLANTATIONS

Mr. P. E. Warne, Superintendent of the Manalaroo Estate in Cochin State and a coffee planter of repute, visited the estates on 9th February, 1944. In his report, he describes the coffee area:—

"That part of the property known as Seetagundy and Palagapandy is some four miles long, the lay of the land being undulating and the soil of a darkish loam of good depth. The lie of Anai-mad is gently undulating and the coffee is planted in a rich basin with a very fine depth of top soil of a dark loam. The coffee here is very fine indeed.

The general appearance of the bushes in all areas is good and with proper treatment they should develop into fine yielding coffee. Good vigour and absence of borer is most marked. The area is clean weeded throughout and is in satisfactory order.

Spike is showing up very well over the whole area and, although the crop cannot be accurately estimated until the blossom showers in March, there is every indication that the 1944 crop will not be less than the average of 3684 cwts."

About the Cardamom area, Mr. Warne proceeds:—

"The whole area looks very well indeed. The plants generally show satisfactory growth and are well developed. Most areas appear well sheltered from wind and are planted in good jungle shade. Most of the plants carry a very dense shade themselves and look healthy and vigorous. They are free from disease. There is still a fair amount of crop on the bushes whilst new recems are coming up nicely for this year's crop. The area is free from weeds and the soil is in good condition throughout."

BUILDINGS & FACTORIES

There are altogether 77 Buildings on the property, including Manager's Bungalow (electrically fitted), staff quarters, Hospitals, offices and pulp houses. Mr. Warne has described the buildings as substantially built "well kept, in good condition and permanent."

The three pulp houses are equipped with a full complement of engine driven machinery, all in excellent condition.

The 37 sets of pucca lines, afford living accommodation for a thousand labourers. These buildings are located in healthy spots and supplied with pipe water.

CROP AND COST OF PRODUCTION

Mr. Warne says in his report:—"The average crops per annum for the past ten years amount to 3684 cwts. of cured coffee and 16,680 lbs of dried cardamoms. These crops compare favourably with other estates in the vicinity and are about equally with the district average. The coffee crop could be increased considerably by cultivation and manuring."..... For coffee the average cost of production for the same period is Rs. 32 per cwt. This includes spraying and general charges and is the all in cost..... for Cardamoms the average cost of production over the same period is about annas eight per pound."

The Cardamom crop relates to 374 acres, as the new clearing of 150 acres planted in 1939 and 1940, come into yield only this year.

MINIMUM SUBSCRIPTION

The Directors will proceed to allotment only when the entire present issue has been subscribed.

DIRECTORS' QUALIFICATION & REMUNERATION

The qualification of a Director, except the Ex-officio director, is the holding in his own right of ordinary and/or preference shares to the face value of Rs. 2,000/-. The remuneration of a Director, including the Ex-officio Director, is Rs. 35/- for every meeting of the Board or of its committees attended by him. The Directors may also allow and pay to any Director such remuneration as they may consider fair and reasonable for extra services rendered by him, in addition to his specified remuneration.

UNDERWRITING AND BROKERAGE

The entire issue of ordinary and preference shares and debentures amounting to Rs. 13,25,000/- has been underwritten by Messrs B. N. V. & Co., Stock & Share Brokers, Members: Madras Stock Exchange Association Ltd., 310/311, Lingha Chetty Street, G. T. Madras for a consideration of four per cent. The directors are of opinion that the resources of the abovementioned underwriters are sufficient to discharge their underwriting obligation. The underwriters may at their discretion pay out of their commission a brokerage of 1 per cent to recognised brokers in respect of allotment of shares and debentures on applications bearing their stamp

PRELIMINARY EXPENSES

The preliminary expenses, inclusive of underwriting commission, are estimated at Rs. 75,000 and shall be borne by the Company.

CONTRACTS AND INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS

The following contracts have been entered into:—

1. Agreement dated 4th February, 1944, between the Anglo-American Direct Tea Trading Co., Ltd., Glasgow, Scotland, and Mr. V. Chandy Itty, Managing Director of the Bank of Deccan Ltd., Kottayam whereby the former have agreed to sell to the latter or his nominee the properties for a total consideration of Rs. 11,25,000/-.

2. Agreements dated 24th February, 1944, between Mr. V. Chandy Itty, and Mr. K. M. Chacko, Managing Editor of the Powra Dhwani, Kottayam acting for and on behalf of the Company, whereby the former has agreed to assign all his rights under the above agreement to the Company for a sales commission of 2 per cent of the value of the properties and the supplementary agreement between this Company and Mr. V. Chandy Itty for transfer of the rights and the option to this company under deed dated 18th May, 1944.

3. Agreement between the Company and the Indian Trades and Investments Ltd., Madras, whereby the former appoints the latter as their Managing Agents.

4. Underwriting letters dated 29th May, 1944, between the Company and Messrs. B. N. V. & Co., Stock Brokers, Madras.

5. Expert valuation and report on the estates submitted by Mr. P. E. Warne, Planter, Cochin.

Copies of the above agreements and also of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company may be inspected during business hours at the Registered Office of the Company and at the Office of the Underwriters for the time the list is open.

PREFERENCE SHARES

The Preference Shares confer on the holder, from the date the Company commences business, a right to a fixed Cumulative Preferential Dividend at the rate of 6 per cent per annum free of British Indian Income tax on the capital for the time being paid-up thereon, and the right in a winding up to the repayment of capital and arrears of dividend whether declared or not, in priority to the Ordinary Shares, but do not confer any further right to participate in the profits or assets.

VOTES AND TRANSFERS

The Articles provide that on a show of hands every member present in person shall have one vote, and on a poll every member present in person or by proxy shall have one vote for every share, whether ordinary or preference held by him. The directors may not approve transfer of a share on which there is a lien or to anyone whom they may disapprove.

ADMINISTRATION

Subject to the control and supervision of the Board of Directors, the General Management of the Company will be in the hands of the Indian Trades and Investments Ltd., Madras, as Managing Agents for a period of twenty years from the date of incorporation of the Company. The Managing Agency Agreement will provide that the managing agents be remunerated by a commission of 7-1/2% of the nett profits of the Company as defined in Section 87(c) of Indian Companies Act VII of 1913, that the Managing Agents shall be entitled to nominate one Director to the Board when the total number of directors is less than six and two directors when their total number is six or more, and to receive an office allowance of Rs. 1,000/- per month which will be exclusive of salary of staff employed on the business of the Company and all expenditure on behalf of the Company including expenditure on postages, stationery, telegrams and the like which shall be reimbursed by the Company to the Managing Agents. The Directors nominated by the Managing Agents will be deemed Ex-officio Directors.

INTEREST OF DIRECTORS

No Director, other than the Ex-officio Director, is interested in the promotion of the Company save to the extent of his holdings of shares and the remuneration he is entitled to. Mr. V. Chandy Itty, the Ex-officio Director, is interested as a director of the Managing Agency Company. He is also interested to the extent of the sales commission of 2 per cent of the value of the properties, which has to be paid to him by the Company as his remuneration for assigning to the company all his rights under the option agreement.

GENERAL

Applications for shares and debentures may be made on the form accompanying this prospectus or written up or typed similarly and sent to the Company's Brokers, bankers or the Registered Office of the Company at Madras, together with a remittance of the amount payable on application. The directors reserve to themselves the right to reject any application without assigning reasons therefor. Where no allotment is made the deposit will be returned in full.

"Consent of the Government of India has been obtained to this issue under the Defence of India Rule 94-A. It must be understood that in giving this consent the Government of India do not take any responsibility for the financial soundness of any scheme or for the correctness of any of the statements made or opinions expressed with regard to them."

Copies of the Prospectus and application forms may be had from the underwriters and bankers of the company and the Registered Office of the Company at Madras and also from the Bharat Investors Ltd., Calicut.

Dated at Madras this twenty-ninth day of May, 1944.

1. (Sd.) M. S. PERIASWAMY NADAR,
2. „ T. S. DORAISWAMY,
3. „ A. S. PADMANABAN,
4. „ V. CHANDY ITTY,

Directors.

ESTIMATE OF PROFITS

The estimated net profits and dividends have been worked cut as under, for a crop of 3684 cwts. of cured coffee and 16,680 lbs., of cardamoms.

	Rs.	Rs.
Coffee; 3684 cwt. at pool price of Rs. 100/- per cwt.	3,68,400	
Cardamoms: 16,680 lbs., at Rs. 2/- per lb.	33,360	
		4,01,760
Less cost of production of coffee at Rs. 32 per cwt.	1,17,888	
Less cost of cardamoms at annas eight per lb.	8,340	
Excise tax on 3,684 cwts. coffee at annas 2 per lb.	51,576	
Managing Agents allowance and commission on net profits; taxes and sundries.	36,000	
		2,13,804
Balance ...		1,87,956
Less 5-1/2 p. c. interest on Debentures	33,000	
Debenture Sinking fund	33,000	
6 p. c. dividend on Preference Shares	24,000	
		90,000
Balance ...		97,956

The amount available for distribution among the holders of Ordinary Shares is thus 97,956 approximately representing over 21 p. c. on the issued ordinary capital.

DISPOSAL OF CAPITAL

A sum of Rs. 13,25,000/- is required to provide for the value of the property, preliminary expenses, conveyance, a working capital, etc., as under:—

	Rs.
Value of property	11,25,000
2% sales commission payable to option holder	22,500
Preliminary expenses, underwriting commission, conveyance, debenture expenses and working capital	1,77,500
Total	13,25,000

CAPITALIZATION

The total issued capital, inclusive of debenture is Rs. 13,25,000/- which when distributed over the plantations in the property, reveal a low capitalization.

1382.00	Acres of	Arabica coffee at Rs. 807	per acre	Rs. 11,15,274
524.00	„	Cardamoms „ 400	„	2,09,600
1.00	„	Cinchona „ 126	„	126
1221.75	„	Reserve Forest land		.....
3128.75	Acres.	Total	Rs.	13,25,000

When the debentures are redeemed capitalization would automatically be further reduced to Rs. 550/- per acre of Arabica Coffee and Rs. 150/- per acre of Cardamoms.

THE AMALGAMATED COFFEE ESTATES, LTD.

(Incorporated in British India with Limited Liability).

Application for ORDINARY / PREFERENCE Shares & Debentures

No.....

Issue of 45,000 Ordinray Shares of Rs. 10/- each and 40,000 (6 per cent tax free) Preference Share of Rs. 10/- each (Payable as follows:—Rs. 5 on application, Rs. 5 after allotment). and 950 5 1/2 per cent British Indian tax free 1st Mortgage Debentures of Rs. 500/- each (Payable in full on application)

To

THE AMALGAMATED COFFEE ESTATES LTD.

Dear Sirs,

I/We remit herewith the sum of Rs..... being a 5 per share / Ordinary Shares deposit of Rs. 5 per share ..... for..... Preference Shares / 500 per debenture / Debentures in the abovenamed Company. I/We request you to allot me/us shares that number of ——— debentures on the terms of the Company's prospectus and the Memorandum and Articles of Association and I/we agree to accept the same or any smaller number allotted to me/us (and in the case of the ordinary and preference shares pay the balance as and when called upon to do so), and I/we authorise you to register me/us as the holder of the shares / debentures allotted to me/us hereunder.

Name in full.....
Occupation.....
Address.....
Date ..... Signature.....

Cheques to be crossed and to be drawn, in favour of the Underwriters and sent to the Underwriters' Office at Madras. (B. & Co., P.B. 1232, Madras)

THE AMALGAMATED COFFEE ESTATES LTD.

Receipt for Deposit on Application for Ordinary Shares / Preference Shares / Debentures

Received this.....day of.....1943 from .....
..... the sum of Rs.....
5 per share
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DE GAULLE APPEALS TO FRENCH NATION TO JOIN SUPREME BATTLE

LONDON: The King and Prime Minister Churchill today visited General Eisenhower at the Supreme Headquarters of the Allied Expeditionary Forces and Air Chief Marshal Sir Trafford Leigh—Mllury at the Headquarters of the Allied Air Forces. The King and the Prime Minister talked to high officers directing the operations in the field and saw reports coming in from the beachheads.

DE GAULLE'S BROADCAST

General Charles de Gaulle in a broadcast to the French nation today (Tuesday) said: The supreme battle has begun. This is the decisive blow. This is the battle of France and France's battle.

Declaring it was duty of all French men to fight with all the means at their disposal, General de Gaulle said good order in battle required these three conditions: Firstly, orders given by the French Government and local leaders appointed by it must be followed exactly; secondly, action in the rear must be in conjunction with that by the Allied and French armies; Thirdly, Frenchmen must not allow themselves to be taken prisoner as "anything is better than being put out of action without having fought."

General de Gaulle, whose arrival in Britain was announced to-day (Tuesday) has been here for some days.

General de Gaulle has had conversations with Mr. Churchill and General Eisenhower. These talks are understood to have been purely military. Questions of administration of France as she is liberated and of the status of the national committee of French liberaion have not been discussed.

ALLIES OPEN 2ND FRONT

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wall troops are battling against Allied airborne units. Between Caen and Isigny, the Allies have managed to set foot on the coast at two points landing several tank groups with which they penetrated several miles to south. Particularly extensive landings were made at small coastal village at Saint Vaast La Houghe."

Isigny is about two miles from the sea at the head of the estuary of the river Vire and where the Cherbourg peninsula turns eastward along the coast of France. Carentin is in the Cherbourg peninsula about six miles west of Isigny and about five miles from the coast.

The German News Agency shortly before noon G.M.T. reported these additional landings: on the islands of Guernsey and Jersey in the Channel; tanks landed in the area of Arromanches which is on the coast of the Cherbourg peninsula about twenty miles north-west of Caen. Tanks landed at Quistreham also on the coast about ten miles due north of Caen.

Luftwaffe Not Yet On Scene

LONDON: A War Correspondent reporting from a British airfield states "The situation seems to be going well. The Luftwaffe has not yet put in an appearance in strength and masses of man power on both sides are moving into position. I flew for miles inland but saw no German armoured divisions on the move. The air umbrella exceeded that at Dieppe. There were so many of us in the air that we had to get up there by co-ordinated degrees to avoid crossing each others lines."

The German Trans Ocean News Agency quoted a Berlin Military Spokesman as saying "by Noon, it had become perfectly clear that the Allied landings represented a big invasion."

Allied Landings Continue

BERLIN:—The German D.N.B. News Agency this afternoon reported "Allied landings continue without stop under constant German fire."

The German Overseas News Agency said "About twelve miles southwest of Havre, the Allies dropped parachute troops and at the same time landed troops from the sea in the coastal sector between the mouth of the Orne and the Vire. Strong enemy naval formations are now approaching this coastal stretch whilst their naval escort is lying west of Boulogne."

German News Agency D.B. said that the Allied air-borne landings in Normandy were made in great depth.

The German News Agency reported at 7 GMT "Combined landing operations of Anglo-Americans which were launched both from Sea and from the air against the European West Coast early today extended over the whole coastal sector between Havre and Cherbourg.

The main centres of the air landing attacks are in the whole of Normandy as well as at the most important river mouths in the Seine Bight. Amphibious operations on a large scale were simultaneously begun between the Seine estuary and the mouth of the Vire river into the Atlantic on a broad front. In addition to numerous landing craft of various types, light naval craft of the Allies are being employed in considerable numbers. Off the Seine estuary, six heavy naval units and twenty destroyers were made out.

The fleet of landing craft was protected by strong naval forces on either flank. On the eastern flank were six battleships and twenty destroyers, whilst the Western flank was protected by a naval fleet of similar composition. A German motor torpedo boat flotilla was sent against the enemy fleet. German boats attacked the enemy, who was many times superior in number and firing power. When our boats approached, the enemy fleet the Allied ships put up a smokescreen. German MTBS were also heavily shelled by the enemy. Losses could not be observed owing to the dense smokescreen.

Allies Out To Take Bull By Horns

The German Trans Ocean News Agency Chief Military Correspondent Sertorious said "This first Allied attack is directed against the area between the mouths of the Seine and the Vire, a stretch of coast some seventy-five miles long beginning in the east at Trouville and Deauville and reaching to the Bay of Isigny in the West."

This is a stretch of coast nearest to Paris, not only as the crow flies, but also as far as strategic lines of communications are concerned. For this very reason, this sector of coast has been paid special and thorough attention in the German anti-invasion plans for years. It is safe to say that here the fortifications of the Atlantic wall, both as regards the strength and depth of its defence works, easily beat all records.

Judging from the area of operation selected by the Allied High Command and the direction of the first landings, it seems as if the Allies wish to take the bull by the horns this time."—Reuter.

NAZI DEFENCES BLITZED

S.H.A.E.F. (Supreme Headquarters of the Allied Expeditionary Force): More than one thousand heavy bombers continued the attacks on the French coastal defences in daylight to-day (Tuesday).

The first ten waves of the 9th airforce fighter-bombers to take part in the non-stop operations since 4-30 hours to-day (Tuesday) reported no serious opposition from enemy fighters anywhere over the Channel or the Allied beachhead. Bombing, strafing and patrolling fighter planes have been giving continuous cover to the movements of the armies over the sea and on the beaches and probing ahead of the landing parties for tactical objectives beyond the operations zone.

Well over 1000 Lancasters and Halifaxes dropped over 5000 tons of high explosive bombs on ten coastal batteries on the French coast last night, it was announced by the Air Ministry this afternoon (Tuesday).

Giant German naval guns and howitzers along the French coast were bombed by over 1300 aircraft during the hours of darkness just before the Allied invasion—Airchief Marshal Sir Arthur Harri's heaviest attack to date.

GERMAN RESISTANCE STIFFENING

An enormous Allied naval squadron is crossing off Cherbourg. There are at the moment four district centres of fighting in the departments of Manche and Calvados. German resistance is stiffening hourly.".

INVASION POSTPONED BY 24 HOURS

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The Half-Column "By Dim"

(With apologies to THE ONLOOKER is produced below the Half Column's impression of next month's GATEWAY GOSSIP).

Last month has been a month of roaring sunshine—the most delightful summer we have had since '06. Almost all the parties were wet except the delightful "bhajia" (Indian hors d'oeuvres) party of Sir Tukaram and Lady Narayan, which was exceptionally dry. Lady Narayan is a new-comer to Bombay, her husband having been deputed to preside over the All-India Hindu-Muslim Conference, which is being held here under the auspices of the Government of India's Propaganda Department (American Section). Lady Narayan is a Hindoo, one of the oldest castes in India. She wore a delightful nigger-brown saree to match, the silk of which came from the well-known Bombay firm of Ou-Bangee Saree Ltd. Among the forty-seven distinguished guests I noticed Barbarra ("Bunty") Toodlum-Brown, who has just returned from Kashmeer, where she has been convalescing after her appendix operation last August. She told me that Kashmeer was entirely unsuited to her recovery and her doctors say that another operation will probably be necessary. Other guests included the Ponsonbys, whose association with India dates from the first Hunt Meeting in Kirkee (Poona Suburbs). Major, (now Colonel) Ponsonby is busy finishing his new book "Why Quit India"? to which, it is expected, Mr. Beverley Nichols will probably write a foreword. Mr. and Mrs. Smeck, the well-known refugees, were also present. Mrs. Smeck said she was throwing a small cocktail party to raise funds for the rebuilding of Rotterdam and Warsaw. She got this idea after reading the Tata-Birla plan. She had sold a number of tickets already and the response from the Parsees was most encouraging. She was wearing a frock saree made of Patell Cotton. Mr. John Doe of the U.S. Office of Better Relations was also present. When he had time he would spend it touring India, as he specially wanted to see the Taj Mahal Hotel and the Tower of Silence. There were no Indians at the party, except the host and hostess, because Sir Tukaram was anxious to preserve an unbiased, international outlook on the Hindu-Muslim problem.

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CITY AND SUBURBS

To-day

Hindu: Jeth Vad 1, 2000
Muslim: Jamadi-ul-Akher 15, 1363
Parsi: Deh 7, 1313
Sunrise: 7-1 a.m. Sunset 8-12 p.m.
Nightide:—, 13-39, Lowtide 6-48, 19-38

To-day's Engagements

UNITED LODGE OF THEOSOPHISTS:—Question and Answer Meeting. Jehangir Wadia Bldg., Flora Fountain today Wednesday) 6-15 p.m.

COMMUNAL RATION STORES:—Communal Ration Stores Association desires to state for the information of the Communal Ration Stores and Co-operative Societies that it is no longer necessary to submit Stock Declaration Statement to the Statistician to Government. The Statements should now be furnished to the Ward Offices only.

DASTURJI BODE'S LECTURE:—On "A True Conception of Heaven and Hell according to Zarathushtrian Religion" at Mazdazman Hall, opp. Churchgate Station today (Wednesday) at 6-15 p.m.

RASHTRABHASHA TEXTBOOKS

The Secretary, Hindi Prachar Sabha, writes.

The books published by Rashtrabhasha Prachar Samiti, Wardha, for its Rashtrabhasha Prachar examinations can now be had from the Sabha office, Adenwala Mansion, Chowpatty Seaface, Near Wilson College, and not from Vora and Co. Princess Street.

LATE SIR BARON JAYATILAKA:—A meeting of the Ceylonese Association of India, presided by Mr. V. S. C. Singham, President of the Association, was held for the purpose of expressing its sorrow at the sad demise of Ceylon's National leader Sir Baron Jayatilaka when a vote of condolence was passed.

SOCIETY OF SERVANTS OF HUMANITY:—The easiest and the safest course open to everyone including diplomats is, to follow the great principle of truth and toleration which alone shall bring back the desired peace and goodwill amongst ourselves. Thus writes the Hon. Secretary of the Society of the Servants of Humanity (Manav Sevak Samaj), in the course of a statement to the Press, on the eve of the 18th Session of the Society of the Servants of Humanity, which will meet on June 18th at Madhav Baug, C. P. Tank).

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BAN ON MILK DISHES

In order to release milk for more essential purposes the Government of Bombay has issued an Order banning its use, except under a licence, in the preparation of any article meant for distribution or sale in a public place, except tea, coffee, curds, buttermilk, butter and ghee.

The ban extends to the similar use of milk powder, skimmed, tinned or dried milk cream cread and of curds.

"The Order extends to Bombay City and the Bombay Suburban District."

ALL-INDIA WEATHER

POONA, June 6.

The following is the weather chart showing the maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches recorded at 8 hours on 2/6/44:

Allahabad 99 79 0.1, BOMBAY 94 84 0, Calcutta 96 75 0.2, Cawnpore 99 78 0, Cuttack 98 80 0, Darjeeling 58 52 0.4, Delhi 102 80 0, Dehra Dun 92 68 0.4, Jacobabad 115 83 0, Karachi 90 83 0, Lahore 109 72 0, Lucknow 95 76 0, Madras 98 81 1, Nagpur 98 73 0, Patna 85 73 0, Peshawar 108 94 0, Shillong 75 58 0.7, Simla 71 54 0.2.—A. P.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Virtue is strong and beautiful and vice is downcast in her awful presence.

—Dean Farrar.

The Bombay Chronicle

HISTORIC EVENT

So the invasion of Western Europe has begun. It has taken long in coming. Demanded and promised almost two years ago, it has kept the world in a state of suspense and expectancy for such a long time as to cause tempers, especially in Russia, to get frayed The long expected has, therefore, come as a relief to strained nerves. But while the tension has relaxed in one respect, it has given place to an excited realisation of the epic importance of the event. For, it is going to make history. One cannot but recall today the story of Dunkirk. In point of physical distance Dunkirk and Normandy, are not far apart. But in time and in the changes that have occurred in the interval it is far cry from Dunkirk to Havre. Dunkirk was a nightmare, glorious perhaps, Le Havre is the dawn of a dream. It is the final turning point in the war against the European Axis. Mr. Winston Churchill described the successful Allied offensive in North Africa as the end of the beginning. Today Europe is witnessing the beginning of the end. And with a glad welcome, particularly from the oppressed peoples of Europe and the Soviet Union, which had borne the main brunt of the war against Hitler since June 1941.

But although the invasion has formally begun it will not be an easy job to get it going. Speaking on the fall of Rome, President Roosevelt, insisting that Germany was far from beaten, uttered the following warning:—"Therefore, victory still lies some distance ahead. That distance will be covered in due time. Have no fear of that. But it will be tough and costly." President Roosevelt does not exaggerate the hardness of the task. It is, in fact, harder than he has said. Hitler realises the meaning, decisive and final, to him, his regime and whatever hopes he may still have unshattered of the landings on the north coast of France. They are the message of doom to him. He will, therefore, fight desperately with everything he has and every thing he can command and commandeer. He has also long-known that it was coming. He has had time to prepare his Western Wall and he has used that time with all the energy and thoroughness supremely characteristic of the German people. It will be a hard fight, horribly bloody and costly even before the Allied armies succeed in establishing important and safe beachhead. The invasion is going to demand of the Allies by far the heaviest and most grievous sacrifices they have yet borne in the European theatre of war since the fall of Europe. But sober confidence in the outcome will be quite justified. Those who have prepared and launched the invasion have long known the cost and, therefore have stuck at Hitler's "Festung Europa," prepared to pay it. Moreover, they have such overwhelming strength in men, equipment and resources that the failure of this historic enterprise —egregious blunders excepted, of course—can be safely ruled out. Finally it has the great strategical advantage of being supported from two other directions. Allied troops in Italy are already marching victoriously northwards with the strong possibility of General Maitland Wilson striking at Southern France, too. And we have little doubt that the lull on Hitler's Eastern front is shortly going to break with Russia greeting the "Second Front" through resumption of her large-scale offensive. In due course the German Fuehrer, the erstwhile conqueror of Europe, will be hemmed in on all sides, and let us hope that before 1944 is out, he will have gone the way every tyrant and aggressor should go.

That will be a red letter day in the history of Europe. For it will be the day of deliverance of millions and millions of oppressed peoples. It will be the day of a great victory. But, and let there be no mistake about it either, it will not be the first day of a new, better and happier world. There will be Japan, in a sense far tougher than Germany, to be accounted for before peace comes to the world. Then again the peace that comes will not be the peace of right, justice, democracy and universal brotherhood unless it also brings with it the redemption of all the peoples of Asia and Africa also. We welcome this historic day of June 6, 1944, for the sake of those in Europe who have suffered trials and tribulations at the hands of Fascist and Nazi brutality. But as to the rest, our hopes have yet to remain deferred.

Let Britain Beware

Mr. G. D. Birla, one of the authors of the Bombay Plan which relies not a little on the full payment of Britain's war debts to India, has reason to be shocked at Lord Keyne's suggestion about the need for a revision of Indo-British obligations. He fears that the suggestion amounts to pure and simple repudiation of the debts. It is true that the revision can be effected only with the consent of the Government of India. But he knows that at present this Government is virtually an agent of the British Government. Mr. Birla naturally takes strong exception to Lord Keyne's callous view that the Indian peasant is already bearing the weight of the whole defence expenditure in India in the form of privations and suffering and it is not impossible for him to bear that weight sometime longer "whether its financial counterpart shall be borne by the British or the Indian tax-payer." Mr. Birla rightly points out that India's compulsory bearing of the defence expenditure has meant famine, death, disease and misery to millions and that "the millions who died in Bengal are no less war casualties than those who died in the battle-field." As regards Lord Keyne's suggestion that if the whole expenditure, including what is incurred by America and England, is debited to India it would be a relief to the poor classes, Mr. Birla puts it mildly, indeed, when he describes it as "an insult to Indian intelligence". The suggestion is sheer nonsense and would not have been taken seriously by anyone if it had not come from an eminent economist. Mr. Birla appeals "to friends in England to set their face against such loose talk." We do not expect many Britishers to do that. They may on the contrary exploit Lord Keyne's reputation as an economist. It is Indians who should take serious notice of the sinister suggestions and warn Britain of the consequences of any talk of repudiation of debts to India.

FRANKLY SPEAKING

Exit Emmanuel

In a nation-wide broadcast on the fall of Rome, President Roosevelt has paid handsome tributes to all the Allied troops participating in General Alexander's offensive, American, British, Canadian, New Zealander, French Moroccan and Poles. But he has forgotten Indian troops who have distinguished themselves in the Italian fighting at least as well as any other. This omission is a minor point in so far as it does not materially affect us just as verbal recognition by Presidents and Premiers do not. But the omission is significant because it shows up the real attitude of Allied leaders towards a member of the United Nations. To return to the "liberation of Rome", it has, we are glad to note, marked the opening of the Second Front in Western Europe. It has also led to an important political event, the promised abdication of King Victor Emmanuel in favour of his son. The old King's exit, so richly deserved, is welcome enough. But it does not solve the whole problem of democratic Italy. Genuine democracy can only come to Italy when Badoglio, too, goes. Nor is that all. There is an important duty devolving on Allied leaders. It relates to the Italian "Empire." The so-called "democrats" of Italy like Count Sforza still dream of saving the "Empire" for Italy. If Allied leaders are honest and honourable, they should dissipate such dreams.

Milk Control

At a press conference in Bombay on Monday the food supply authorities explained the various measures adopted by Government to ensure an "equitable" supply of milk in the city and suburbs. If the efficacy of the measures may be judged by the price of milk in the city they cannot be said to have been efficient so far. For the price is steadily mounting and the quality of milk is as steadily deteriorating. That is evidently because the supply of milk is not at all adequate. And for that very reason Government has now decided to allow the use of milk for business purposes, or for distribution in public places, only for the preparation of tea, coffee, buttermilk, butter and ghee and that anybody who uses milk or condensed milk without a licence for other purposes will be prosecuted. The success of the scheme will depend upon the way the licences are issued. If they are indiscriminately given the scheme is sure to fail. A more gratifying decision of the Government is to sell milk at reduced rates for children under two years of age, half the cost being borne by Government and the rest by the families concerned.

Ensure Adequate Supply

Plans like these will be wholly successful only if effective steps are taken to ensure an adequate supply of milk in the province as a whole. Mr. P. S. Patel, Deputy Director of Agriculture, stated at the Conference that Government had started a dry experimental cattle farm at Palghar and had schemes on hand for the salvage of dry cattle and the breeding of cattle and that Government would see to it that no useful cattle were slaughtered. All steps would be taken, he said, to produce more and better milk. Assurances like these have been given before but have not materialised to an appreciable extent. The various food committees formed both by Government and the people should give more attention to the problem of milk supply then they seem to have done so far. It was stated at the Conference that a cattle census in Bombay City and Suburbs had been taken and articles would be rationed so as to reduce expenditure on the maintenance of cattle. Similar measures should be taken in other towns in the province.

Residents Made Refugees By P. W. D.

For more than two years, in every summer from March to June, a large number of residents of Malcolm Bagh, Jogeshwari, are completely deprived of their water supply by the Salsette Water Works, a P.W.D. managed concern. We are told that the normal water supply to the Malcolm Bagh has been diverted for the use of the military and naval authorities. As a result of this diversion the pressure has been reduced and there are certain houses, particularly on the western side, where residents like myself have not been able to receive even one drop of water for weeks at a stretch. Needless to say this has led to a very serious danger to our health as our "flush" system has been completely disorganised.

Every effort has been made during the last two years to make all the Government officials concerned in this realise the serious danger to public health and to public morale but these complacent officials of the P.W.D. and of the Water Works in particular do not seem to think that this is a serious responsibility. In sheer despair, a telegram was recently sent to His Excellency the Governor drawing his attention to this fact.

No doubt last year when we had the same difficulty Government had issued orders for laying down a new pipe line, but the funny part of this order is that the result is nil, as no pipe line has been laid so far. I think the military authorities at Andheri have been actually more sympathetic than the P.W.D., for whereas the former have agreed in writing to shut off their water supply from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m., the P.W.D. Water Works has not been able to give us the water we want.

It is true that a couple of days ago, on the night of the 28th and 29th May we were surprised to get all of a sudden a very ample supply of water for the first time practically in three months, but this was only as if to tantalise us for from the 30th May we have not had even one precious drop of water.

The public like us have a right to ask Government for an explanation specially as we civilians have at least a right to live and a right to obtain a necessity of life like water. The officials of the P.W.D. and of the Water Works have shown an indifference in the matter which is shocking. Perhaps these officials do not know that as human beings cannot live without water, some of us were forced to leave our residences like refugees. The P.W.D. have thus achieved what Japanese bombs have failed to achieve. It has driven us out of our homes.

Will this cry of despair of mine and my neighbours improve matters? I really wonder. Public morale and public health alike demand an immediate redress of our grievance.

(Mrs.) A. P. DRIVER.

Vakil Cottage,
Malcolm Bagh,
Jogeshwari
June 2, 1944.

DANGE DELIGHTED AT GANDHIJI'S RELEASE

London Indians' Welcome T. U. C. President

(From Our Correspondent)

LONDON, June 5.

Under the auspices of the East London Branch of the India League, Indian Seamen, pedlers and hawkers from the East End were first to extend a warm public welcome last evening to S. A Dange, President of the All-India Trade Union Congress. The red flag and the tricolour Congress flag fluttered side by side in the large hall. Miss Swarba Lata Talwar was in the chair. These Indian workers sang songs in honour of Dange, paid a tribute to his work on behalf of Indian workers and peasants and referred to his spirit of service and sacrifice, even courting imprisonments and fighting to improve their economic life instead of becoming a rating agent of their exploiters. Dange was overwhelmed by the warmth of their welcome and spoke to them in Hindustani about the present-day conditions in India, stressed the urgent need for Hindu-Moslem amity not only for the economic solution of many Indian problems but also to capture political power for the whole nation which is at present under foreign domination. Dange concluded, "Both Congress and Muslim League want unity. Those who talk to the contrary are not telling the truth. I am heartily delighted that Gandhiji has been released. He is the man to find the correct ways and means to resolve the present deadlock. He is our great revered leader. Let us wish him good health to carry on our fight."

U. P. MOVE AGAINST COLLECTIVE FINES

(From Our Correspondent)

ALLAHABAD, June 6.

The legality of Government imposing collective fines in connection with political disturbances is likely to be questioned in a court of law. It is understood Mr. Feroz Gandhi Secretary of the Prisoners Legal Aid Committee is consulting expert legal opinion on the point.

Congress workers in some districts are being consulted regarding collective fines and methods of realising them.

In supersession of a notification by the Commissioner of Benares Division dated November 3 1942 the Governor of U. P. has now imposed collective fines of over six lakhs of rupees on the inhabitants of 529 villages in the tehsil of Bansdih District Ballia.

Collective fines have been imposed on two other tehsils in Ballia District.

The total fines in Ballia now amount to over Rs. 775,915.

WILL NEWSPAPER PRICES BE REDUCED?

(From Our Correspondent)

NEW DELHI, June 6

I learn, the newspapers are opposed to reduction in prices.

The question was discussed, it will be recalled at a meeting of the Newsprint Advisory Committee last month. The Government proposal was to fix the present prices of Newspapers as ceiling prices and allow newspapers varying prices within that maximum.

It is however felt that big newspapers with large reserves might regulate the prices which would be detrimental to smaller newspapers.

Final decision was deferred to enable newspapers to express their views on the subject.

Government decision is expected at an early date.

Eisenhower's Order Of Day To Invasion Troops

"HOPES AND PRAYERS OF LIBERTY-LOVING PEOPLE EVERYWHERE MARCH WITH YOU"

LONDON, June 6.

The text of Order of the Day issued by General Eisenhower to each individual of the Allied Expeditionary Force ran as follows: —

"Soldiers, sailors and airmen of the Allied expeditionary force. You are about to embark upon great crusade towards which we have striven these many months. The eyes of world are upon you. The hopes and prayers of liberty-loving people everywhere march with you. In company with our brave Allies and brothers in arms on other fronts you will bring about the destruction of the German war machine, the elimination of Nazi tyranny over oppressed peoples of Europe, and security for ourselves in a free world. Your task will not be an easy one. Your enemy is well trained, well equipped, and battle hardened. He will fight savagely. But this is the year 1944. Much has happened since the Nazi triumphs of 1940 to 1941. The United Nations have inflicted upon the Germans great defeats in open battle, man to man. Our air offensive has seriously reduced their strength in the air and their capacity to wage war on the ground. Our home fronts have given us overwhelming superiority in weapons and munitions of war, and placed at our disposal great reserves of trained fighting men. The tide has turned. Free men of the world are marching together to victory. I have full confidence in your courage, devotion to duty, and skill in battle. We will accept nothing less than full victory. Good luck and let us all beseech the blessing of the Almighty God upon this great and noble undertaking". The order was distributed to the assault elements after their embarkation. It was ready by appropriate commanders to all other troops in the Allied expeditionary force.

German View Of Triphibious Offensive

LONDN, June 6.

The German Trans Ocean News Agency Military Correspondent Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Von Olberg made this comment today "The Day has dawned The invasion has begun. The tension which held the whole of Europe in its grip during the past week has begun to relax. With the Allied landing attempt in Northern France, the Second Front or better the third front has come into being. It remains to be seen whether this landing attempt marks the beginning of a great invasion. It is quite possible the enemy is planning a feint or else a holding attack in order to deceive the German High Command to cause premature German troops movement.

But it is also possible a fourth or a fifth front will be opened by similar operations on other sectors of the long European coast line, while a front which will bring giant battles of the coming summer will develop at yet another stretch of the Atlantic coast from where the Allies may possibly try to link up with their troops engaged in today's operations" Alberg added.

"There can be no doubt the Allied attack carried out with tremendous masses of men and material has a chance of success in Western Europe and then in the area of the Channel coast. An operation on such a scale needs above all absolutely secure rear communications as well as a base in which unprecedented masses of war material, supplies and ammunition can be arrayed."

"The enemy must choose the shortest possible line for Seaborne supplies. Therefore it has always been evident that the Allied main blow would fall on the Atalantic coast somewhere between Biarritz and Hamburg. There is every indication the present Allied intention is a triphibious offensive which must be taken very seriously indeed." Olberg described Portsmouth, Plymouth, Bristol, Hull and London docks as the "springboards of invasion." "Everything that will be thrown into night landing on Europe's coast within a very few hours is ready there", he said. "These big harbours are the very foundations of the bridge which is to be flung across the channel towards the continent".

"Todays operations possibly aim at establishing the other head of the invasion bridge. The German High Command has by no means been caught napping by the latest developments. —Reuter.

Gandhiji's Letter To Jayakar

Story By Maulana Mahomed Ali Recalled

Mahatma Gandhi's letter to Dr. Jayakar reminds one of the story which was related 25 years ago by the late Maulana Mohamed Ali at the Amritsar session of the Indian National Congress immediately on the arrival at Amritsar of the two brothers after their prolonged incarceration under Regulation III of 1818 at Chindwara. Their release was part of the general amnesty to political prisoners after the passing of the Monteford Constitution. The Ali Brothers then declared that the political situation in the country was as bad as when they were arrested, and feared that since there was likely to be no change in their reactions they might be arrested again. It was to illustrate this predicament that the late Maulana Mohamed Ali related the story which evoked peels of laughter but bore a serious import.

KING AND POET

There was once a poet. The poet was a great favourite of the king. In spite of being a favourite, the poet held very independent views. Seeing the poverty in the kingdom and many other malpractices he wrote verses which became very popular but which annoyed the king. The king ordered the poet to be sent to prison. For several years the poet remained rotting in the prison cell writing verses in charcoal on the prison wall. Years later the king commanded the holding of a symposium of poets in court. When all the poets had assembled, he suddenly remembered his forgotten favourite who was rotting in jail.

OUT OF PRISON

Acting on a generous impulse he commanded that the poet be released forthwith and brought to court. The poet was released and naturally felt very jubilant Later on he was told that he had been commanded to court. On reaching the court the poet saw to his great surprise and embarrassment all the poets of the kingdom assembled for the symposium.

RUNS BACK TO JAIL.

The poet made his respectful obedience to His Majesty and awaited commands. The king told the poet that he was holding a symposium where all the poets of the kingdom had assembled and a generous impulse had prompted him to order the release of his old favourite, to hear from him some of the fresh verses he might have composed during his stay in prison. The poet looked downcast for a while, made a hurried Ada'b, respectfully walked out of the court and then ran like fury towards the prison gates. The king sent his emissaries after the poet who brought him back to court.

VERSES ARE THE SAME.

Full of curiosity the king asked the poet the reason for such an extraordinary and disrespectful performance. The poet made his bow to the king and remarked, 'Your Majesty, when I was released I had hoped that you had forgotten me as a poet and had remembered me only as a prisoner. When I was summoned to court I wished and expected that probably your Majesty will show kindness to an old man and appoint me as a standard-bearer, a chobdar or a cook at the palace. I would have been very happy in any of these jobs. But when Your Majesty commanded me to read my verses I realised that there had been no improvement in my verses ever since I went to jail, and far rather I returned voluntarily to the old prison cell without reciting my verses, rather than earn Your Majesty's wrath and risk even being beheaded by reciting some of them."

"WHAT CAN I DO?"

Mahatma Gandhi finds himself almost in the same predicament as the poet. He writes: "I feel that they will imprison me as soon as I am declared free from the present weakness and if they don't arrest me what can I do? I cannot withdraw the August Resolution. As you have very properly said, it is innocuous. You may differ about the sanction. It is the breath of life for me."—From 'Qutub Minnar' in 'National Call'.

Amalgamated Coffee Estates, Ld.

Reader's attention is drawn to the prospectus published elsewhere in this issue, namely, that of the Amalgamated Coffee Estates Ltd.

The Company's estates include a sprinkling of cardamom and cinchona. The Directors, contemplate placing a decent area out of the reserve lands under cinchona. The total area of the estates is stated to be 3,128.75 acres of which 1,382 acres are under Arabica coffee 524 acres under cardamoms, and one acre under cinchona, the balance of 1,221.75 acres representing reserve forest laid.

The authorised capital of the Company is Rs. 20 lakhs, divided into 100,000 ordinary shares of Rs. 10 each and 100,000 6 per cent, tax-free cumulative preference shares of Rs. 10 each. The present issue consists of 45,000 ordinary shares and 40,000 preference shares. Both the shares are to be fully paid up.

Security Demand On Karachi Press

KARACHI, June 6: The Sind Government has demanded a security of Rs. 1,000 from the Ratan Printing Press for printing a book of excerpts from "Stories of Irish Freedom."

Formerly a security of Rs. 1,000 was demanded from the editor of "Ratan" which order was however withdrawn. —A. P.

JULLUNDUR BAN

LAHORE, June 6.—The District Magistrate Jullundur, has promulgated an order under section 144 Cr. P. C. prohibiting the holding of public meetings within the municipal limits of Jullundur City and Cantonment area for a week with effect from 5th June. The order does not apply to any meeting convened by Government servants in public interest.—A. P.

Dalal Meets Viceroy

NEW DELHI, June 6: Sir Ardeshir Dalal the new Member-Designate of the Viceroy's Council, has arrived here and met the Viceroy to-day. His visit is concerned mainly with the settlement of preliminaries to his taking over the Development Portfolio early in August. He will leave Delhi on Thursday.—A. P.

Orissa Ministerial Reshuffle?

CUTTACK, June 6

The "Oriya Daily Samaj" under the heading "Differences in the Ministry" writes as follows: "There are indications that on account of differences between Maharaja Parlakimedi, the Prime Minister and Pundit Godavari Misra, the Finance Minister, the Ministry will collapse, and section 93 will prevail.

After Pundit Nilkant Dass left his post of the Chief Executive Officer of the National War Front and the subsidy given to his paper "Navabharat" had been stopped, it was alleged that Pundit Nilkant Dass is making great efforts to get the Ministry re-shuffled. He wants that his nominee should find a place in the Cabinet.—Orient Press.

Mahasabha Ban Echo In Bengal Assembly

CALCUTTA, June 5

The Bengal Legislative Assembly today talked out an adjournment motion relating to the Bengal Government's order under the Defence of Rules banning the holding of the Hindu Mahasabha Conference which had been proposed to be held in Barisal District and prohibiting the holding of public meetings for a period of two weeks in six sub-divisions in four contiguous districts. It was moved by Mr. Narendra Nath Das Gupta of the Nationalist Party in Opposition.—A. P.

"SUCCESSION OF SURPRISES"

Churchill's Assurance To Germany

LONDON June 6.

Mr. Churchill in the House of Commons to-day referred to the liberation of Rome as "this memorable and glorious event, which rewards the intense fighting of the last five months in Italy."

After describing the Anzio bridgehead actions, Mr. Churchill said the losses on both sides were heavy and comprised about 20,000 of the Allies and about 25,000 Germans.

After reviewing the events up to the Allies entry into the Liri Valley Mr. Churchill announced that during the night and early hours of this morning, the first of a series of landings in force upon the European continent had taken place (loud cheers).

LIBERATING ASSAULT

In this case, the liberating assault fell on the coast of France. An immense Armada of upwards of 400 ships, together with several thousand smaller craft, crossed the Channel. Mr. Churchill said, the fire of shore batteries had been largely quelled. Obstacles which were constructed in the sea have not proved so difficult as was apprehended. "There are already hopes that actual tactical surprise has been obtained." The Anglo-American Allies are sustained by about 11,000 firstline aircraft which can be drawn upon as may be needed for purposes of battle.

Mr. Churchill stated that, mass air borne landings had been successfully effected behind the enemy's lines. Landings on beaches were proceeding at various points.

SUCCESSION OF SURPRISES

"So far, the commanders engaged report that everything is proceeding according to plan—and what a plan. This vast operation is undoubtedly the most complicated and difficult that has ever occurred. We hope to furnish the enemy with a succession of surprises during the course of the fighting. The battle will grow constantly in scale and intensity for many weeks to come. I shall not attempt to speculate upon its course, but this I may say that complete unity prevails throughout the Allied armies (cheers). There is brotherhood in arms between us and our friends of the United States (cheers). The ardour and spirit of the troops, as I saw for myself as they were embarking in the last few days, was splendid to witness."

Mr. Churchill indicated that he would give further news later today.

In another reference to Rome, Mr. Churchill said "this entry of the Liberation Army into Rome means that we shall have power to defend it from hostile air attacks and deliver it from the famine with which it was threatened."—Reuter.

EMMANUEL TRANSFERS POWERS TO SON

Bencivenga Assumes Command Of Rome

Allied Headquarters, Mediterranean June 5.

General Bencivenga has assumed military and civil command of Rome on Allied authority.

Marshal Badoglio received a telegram dated June 4 at 10 o'clock this morning reading: "In the name of the Government of the King of Italy and of the Allies I have temporarily assumed civil and military command of Rome and her territory in the war zone" signed General Bencivenga.

Marshal Badoglio replied "In the name of the Government of the people of Italy I send to liberated Rome and to you greetings of the country striving for her redemption".

King Victor Emmanuel to-day signed a decree transferring his powers to crown Prince Umberto writes Reuter's Special Correspondent at Allied Headquarters, Mediterranean on Monday. He signed the decree at Ravello to-day conferring Lieutenant Generalcy of the realm on Crown Prince Umberto.

Marshal Badoglio, Italian Prime Minister, signed a decree in confirmation.

New York: A Message received here from Naples says that King Victor Emmanuel is reported to have signed a decree to-night giving up his powers and turning them over to the Italian Government.

NEW LEAGUE PARTY FOR PUNJAB?

Unionist Party Conference Plans

SIMLA, June 6

An informal meeting of the members of the Unionist Party in the Punjab Assembly is expected to be held in Simla for four days from June 9. All the Ministers would participate in the meeting which will discuss the Punjab political situation arising out of the efforts to form a separate Muslim League Party.

A number of members of the Punjab Assembly are here in connection with the Committee meetings.—United Press.

THEY ALL QUIT THE LEAGUE

LAHORE, June 6

Titleholders, Government pensioners and semi-officials who have hitherto been occupying position of authority in the Muslim League organisation in Punjab have begun to quit it now, after the Punjab Premier's expulsion from the Muslim League, presumably because of the Government's changed attitude towards the League. The President of the Jullunder Muslim League, a retired forest official has resigned his office a week ago, and reports have now reached here that some of the office-bearers of the District Muslim League of Rawalpindi are also leaving the Muslim League.—Orient Press.

WIN OVER MUSLIM MASSES

LAHORE, June 6

The Shahabaz Daily, Punjab Premier's Paper has to-day editorially suggested that Ahrars, Khaksars, and Jamiat Ulma people should join the Muslim League and capture it. If this were impossible the paper adds that these three organisations should join hands to adopt Pakistan as their goal and compete with Muslim League for winning over the Muslim Masses.—Orient Press.

Ban On Benares Press Withdrawn

BENARES, June 6: The District Magistrate has withdrawn the ban imposed on the Saraswati Press under the Defence of India Rules.

The property of the Press which was under lock and key will be returned to the management.—United Press.

BROACH, June 6: Five workers of the Count Mill have been on hunger strike for the last five days as a protest against the dismissal of their co-workers. Workers of the Gopal Mill also observed a sympathetic fast for a day.—United Press.

TÊTE-A-TÊTE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

"Regarding the Allies it must be recognised that England and especially the United States are rendering China all possible military and economic help in difficult blockade conditions. Considerable help has been rendered by the 14th American Air Force. Recently England granted China a loan of £50 millions.

—Loyal Defence by Moscow's "War And The Working Class."

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The Second Front has opened. But it hasn't come as a stirring surprise to us.

We knew that the telegraph or telephone girl who had "flashed" the report to America a few days ago was right. Women are so uncannily telepathic.

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Broadcasting on the fall of Rome, Mr. Roosevelt pays tribute to the American and British armies, "the gallant Canadians, fighting New Zealanders from the far South Pacific, courageous French and French Moroccans, South Africans and Poles."

May we be allowed most respectfully to submit that there were some humble Indians, too, Mr. President?

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Mr. G. D. Birla says the British Cabinet cannot repudiate the debt due to India.

Cannot? Mr. Birla is a naive optimist.

Moreover, he is woefully and insultingly ignorant of the infinite capacity and power of the British Cabinet. There is nothing in the world that it "cannot."

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A Punjab Member of the Muslim League Working Committee points to the strange phenomenon that the expulsion of Malik Khizr Hayat from the League has stirred and delighted the hearts both of Leaguers and Unionists.

But what is strange about it? Punjab politics has always had the distinction of being unique.

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In a statement to the Press Malik Khizr Hyat Khan quotes Mr. Jinnah's own introduction to a book to prove the existence of the Sikandar-Jinnah Pact.

In which case the introduction is a misrepresentation of what the Qaid-e-Azam wrote. Or, better still, he wrote nothing at all and the whole thing has been faked by either Malik Khizr Hyat or the publisher of the book or the printing press.

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Sir Vijaya of Vizianagaram urges that the best way of dealing with Mr. Jinnah would be to ignore him altogether.

Sir Vijaya is entitled to his views. But he certainly forgets that the Qaid-e-Azam is not a "wide" but rather a "body line" ball.

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We have just read a U. P. "Hindu Sanghatanist" leader's proclamation that "from the beginning of creation there was Akhand Bharat and it would remain akhand till the end of time!

Awed by such a pronouncement, we almost felt we should reverently intone "Amen!"

Allied Ministers Write War History

(From A Special Correspondent)

LONDON, June 6

Though the end of the war is not in sight, yet the Committee of the Allied Ministers of Education has been writing the history of the War for early circulation in the occupied as well as in the enemy countries. The history, it is stated, is intended to factual neutral account of the war and its origins. But it is not strictly an official history because of the difficulty of reconciling the viewpoints of countries represented by the Education Ministers.

The Ministers, it is stated, are finding themselves not entirely in agreement about the presentation of facts. As the "history" is to be translated into the languages of the countries where it would be circulated the emphasis and the angle of approach may have to be altered in each translation to suit the outlook of each country.

In the meantime this inter-Allied education organisation is to be reconstituted to include at least 26 countries. It will have almost an unwieldy title of the United Nations Organisation for Educational and Cultural Reconstruction will be known as "UNOECR".

The approval of the United States for the new scheme is being awaited.

Jamnadas Mehta Returns

KARACHI, June 6.

Mr. Jamnadas Mehta, President of the Indian Federation of Labour Mr. Attaball, Secretary of the Indian Seamens Union and Mr. D. G. Mulherkar, Secretary of the Federation of Indian Chamber of Commerce, representative at the International Labour Office Conference at Philadelphia returned to India to-day.

Police Exchange Shots With Villagers

SHOLAPUR, June 6.

The police opened fire on a number of persons resulting in one being killed when the latter after being arrested in the village of Lahagaon at Jath State in connection with a dacoity attacked villagers while being escorted by the police.

It is learnt that the police also received injuries.—United Press.

"Quit" Order On Released Sind Congress Leader

KARACHI, June 5: Sachanand Pherumal, vice-President of the Sind Provincial Congress Committee and a member of the A.I.C.C. who had been detained as a security prisoner since the August disturbances was released today from the Hyderabad jail with two other security prisoners.

Mr. Sachanand was later served with an order requiring him to leave Hyderabad District within 24 hours and to reside in Nawabshah district and not to leave that district without the permission of the District Magistrate.—A. P.

POONA CONGRESSMAN ARRESTED

POONA, June 5: Mr. V. V. Sathe, a Congressman of Poona was arrested this evening under D.I.R. 129 Mr. Sathe, it is understood, had announced his intention of holding a public meeting in Poona this evening without having approached the authorities for permission to hold the meeting.—A. P.

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Rally Round Tiwana

Christian M.L.A. Supports Stand Against League Action

LAHORE, June 5.

"The firm attitude adopted by the Hon'ble Premier Malik Khizar Hyat Khan Tiwana might well be called the vindication and redemption of the pledges given to the minorities by his predecessor Sir Sikandar Hayat Khan which the present Premier has very faithfully upheld and maintained", says Mr. K. L. Ralliaram M.L.A. (Indian Christian) in a statement to the press on the action taken by the Muslim League against Malik Khizar Hyat Khan.

"With all the defects and weaknesses of the Unionist Party", he adds, "it is undoubtedly the nucleus of a national government in the province, the working of which can only lead us to the desired goal of freedom some day."

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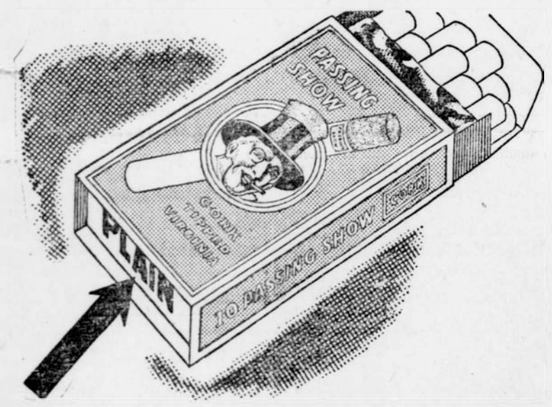

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ROOSEVELT SAYS

Victory Is Sure But Some Distance Ahead

WARNS AGAINST EXAGGERATING MILITARY IMPORTANCE OF ROME

WASHINGTON, June 5.

President Roosevelt in a nationwide broadcast said tonight, "It would be unwise to inflate in our minds the military importance of Rome.

President Roosevelt continued: "The churches and shrines of Rome are symbols of the faith and determination of the early saints and martyrs that christianity should live and become universal.

Now it will be a source of deep satisfaction that the freedom of the Pope and of Vatican City is assured by the army's of the United Nations.

It is also significant that Rome has been liberated by the armed forces of many nations. American and British armies who bore the chief burdens of the battle found at their sides our own North American neighbours, the gallant Canadians, fighting New Zealanders from the far South Pacific, courageous French and French Moroccans, South Africans and Poles.

The Italians too forswearing partnership in the Axis which they never desired, have sent their troops to join us in our battles against the German trespassers on their soil.

The prospect of liberation of Rome meant enough to Hitler and his generals to induce them to fight desperately at great cost of men and materials and with great sacrifices to their crumbling eastern line and to their western front.

ROME SPARED

No thanks is due to them if Rome was spared to devastation which the Germans wreaked on Naples and other Italian cities.

Allied Generals manoeuvres so skillfully that the Nazis could only have stayed long enough to damage Rome at the risk of losing their armies.

But Rome is, of course, more than a military objective. Ever since before the days of Caesar, Rome has stood as a symbol of authority. Rome was then a Republic. Rome was an empire, Rome was the Catholic Church and Rome was the capital of United Italy.

Later, unfortunately, Rome became the seat of Fascism. For a quarter of a century, the Italian people were enslaved and degraded by the rule of Mussolini from Rome.

They will mark its liberation with deep emotion in the north of Italy, where the people are still dominated and threatened by Nazi overlords and their Fascist puppets.

UNWISE THINKING

It will be unwise to inflate in our minds the military importance of the capture of Rome.

We shall have to push through a long period of greater effort and fiercer fighting before we get into Germany itself. The Germans have retreated thousands of miles all the way from the gates of Cairo through Libya and Tunisia and Sicily and Southern Italy.

They have suffered heavy losses but not great enough yet to cause their collapse.

Germany has not yet been driven to surrender. Germany has not yet been driven to a point where she will be unable to recommence world conquest a generation hence.

Therefore victory still lies some distance ahead. That distance will be covered in due time, have no fear of that. But it will be tough and it will be costly.

In Italy people have lived so long under the corrupt rule of Mussolini that in spite of the tinsel at the top, their economic conditions have grown steadily worse.

Our troops have found starvation, malnutrition, disease, deteriorating education and lowered public health —all by-products of the Fascist misrule.

The task of the Allies in occupation has been stupendous. We have had to start at the very bottom assisting local Governments to reform on democratic lines. We have had to give them bread to replace that which was stolen out of their mouths by the Germans. We have had to make it possible for the Italians to raise and use their own local crops. We have had to help them cleanse their schools of Fascist trappings.

FINANCIAL COST

The American people as a whole approve salvage of these human beings who only now are learning to walk in a new atmosphere of freedom. Some of us may let our thoughts run to the financial cost of it.

Essentially it is what we can call a form of relief. At the same time we hope this relief will be an investment for the future—an investment that will pay dividend by eliminating Fascism and ending any Italian desires to start another war of aggression in the future.

They are dividends which justify such investment, because they are additional supports for world peace.

The Italian people are capable of peace. The Italian people are capable of self-government. Italy cannot grow in stature by seeking to build up a great militaristic empire.

The Italians have been overcrowded within their own territories but they do not need to try and conquer lands of other peoples in order to find the breath of life.

Italy should go on as a great mother nation contributing to the culture, progress and goodwill of all mankind —and developing her special talents in arts, crafts and sciences and preserving her historic and cultural heritage for the benefit of all peoples.

We want and expect help of future Italy owards lasting peace. All other nations opposed to Fascism and Nazism should help give Italy chance.

The Germans after years of domination in Rome left the people on the verge of starvation. We and the British will do everything we can to bring them relief.

We have made preparations to ship food supplies to the city, but it should be borne in mind that needs are so great and the transport requirements of our armies so heavy that improvement must be gradual".

Congratulating the Allied leaders in the Mediterranean. President Roosevelt concluded, 'May God bless them and watch over them and over all our gallant fighting men".—Reuter.

Police Allege Property Is Stolen From Devastated Area

BOMBAY, Tuesday

Malanna Sayanna and Abdul Wahid Mohamed were arrested by the Bombay City Police on Monday afternoon, when they were trying to dispose of a charred silver anklet weighting 100 tolas and valued at Rs. 125 at Zaveri Bazar.

They were put up before Mr. Oscar H. Brown, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Esplanade Police Court, to-day.

The police alleged that the article was stolen from the devastated area.

The Magistrate ordered the suspects to be released on bail.

HAPUR QUOTATONS

Wheat 10 Arivals 1,000 mds Gram 8/6 Barley 6/8 Peas 7/8 Arrivals 500 mds Guwar Jeth 6/8/6 Bhadon 6/13/6 Moong Jeth 9/6 Bhadon 9/11/9 Maha 10/10/6 Urad Asar 11/3/9 Maha 11/9 Arhar 7/6 Rapeseed 12/10 Bardana Jeth 54/10 Asuj 55.

BHATINDA QUOTATIONS

Bhatinda, June 6.

Opeing silver steady 134/6 Jeth 134/6 Asarh 132 Gold Ready 74/7 Jeth 74/7 Asarh 74/13 Bajra Ready 61 Poh 61/1/3 Rice Asarh 12/12 Mong Sar 12/8 Silver Gold market steady.

‡ SALES OF TREASURY BILLS

Tenders for Rs. Six Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills were opened on Tuesday the 6th June 1944. Total amount offered was Rs. 11,09,75,000 (Rupees eleven crores nine lakhs seventy-five thousand only). Tenders at Rs. 99-14-3 and above were accepted in full and those at Rs. 99-14-0 allotted approximately 25 p.c. Total amount accepted was Rs. Six Crores, the average rate of accepted tenders being Re. 0-6-3 per cent per annum.

Tenders for Rs. Six Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills will be received on Tuesday the 13th June 1944 in Bombay up to 11 a.m (Standard Time) and up to the close of business on Monday the 12th June 1944 at other centres. Successful tenderers should make payment on Friday the 16th June 1944. Other conditions are as usual.

During the week ended 2nd June 1944, Government of India Treasury Bills for Rs. 90,00,000—(Rupees ninety lakhs only) were sold in favour of the Issue Department of the Reserve Bank of India.

COTTON ROOM RATES.

Bombay, June 6.

Jarilla Extra Spr-fine 435, Sup 425, Fine 415, F Good 405.

Broach Extra Spr-fine 425, Sup 420, Fine 415, F Good 410.

Surti Extra Spr-fine 560, Sup 555, Fine 550, F Good 545.

4 F Pun/American Extra Spr-fine 465, Sup 460, Fine 465, F Good 450.

L S S Pun/Amercan Extra Spr-fine 495, Sup 490, Fine 485, F Good 480.

289 F Pun/American Extra Spr-fine 555, Sup 550, Fine 545, F Good 540.

Saw-Gd 4 F Extra Spr-fine 495, Sup 490, Fine 485, F Good 480.

Saw-Gd L S S Extra Spr-fine 540, Sup 535, Fine 530, F Good 425.

Saw-Gd 289 F Extra Spr-fine 605, Sup 600, Fine 595, F Good 590.

M G N T Extra Spr-fine 495 Sup 490, Fine 485, F Good 480.

Saw-Gd N T Sind-Ame. Extra Spr-fine 535, Sup 530, Fine 525, F Good 520.

N. Y. Cotton Market:—

Cotton advanced on further new Orleans covering, increasing talk of a compromise over the Bankhead amendments and price-fixing against recent Spanish acceptances with scarcity of contracts a feature latterly realising shaded the advance. The market closed steady.

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, June 5.

July 21.05+15, October 20.43+18, December 20.19+19, January 20.13+19, March 19.92+17, May 19.72+17, July highest 21.09+19 (2-23 p.m.), lowest 20.87—03 (10-6 a.m.), Middling Spot 22.00+16.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

New York, June 5.

July 21.21+17, October 20.47+20, December 20.24+21, January 20.10+20, 19.99+20, May 19.76+20, Middling Spot 21.10+15.

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, June 5.

July 20.94, October 20.29, December 20.03.

LONDON SILVER.

London, June 6.

Spot 23-1/2, Forward 23-1/2.

London Gold Fine Per Oz. £8-8-0.

CITY MARKETS

Bombay, June 6.

SHARES: The local Share Bazar was not much influenced by encouraging war news and trading was mostly on a routine character. Tata Steel Dfds. opened at Rs. 2,220 and advanced to

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE.

Tata Steel Ord. (413) 415 16/8 51/8 15 16 15/8 16 17 15 16/8 15 15/8 16 15/12, T. S. Dfds. (2,205) 2220 45 35 28/12 42/8 45 50 47/8 41/4, Dyeing (1,920) 1922/8 25 7/8 12/8 10 8/12 15 11/4 1,898/12 1907 10 13/12 6/4, Kohinoor (637) 641 38 39 37 38 37 39 36 37 35 37 38 37, Swadesh (553) 553 55 53 55 52 54 53 54 49 51 52 51, Nagpur (422) 422/8 22 20 22 18 19/8 18/8, Simplex (255/8) 256 54/8 55/8 54 55 54/8 55/8 56, New Great (385) 386 85/8 84 83/8, Indore (797/8) 805 40 5 800 797/8 807/8 2/8, Scindia (35/14) 36/2 35/14 36 35/15, Cement (234/12) 235 35/4 35.

Rs 2,245 but later steadied at Rs. 2,237, Ordinary Shares opened at Rs. 413 and improved to Rs. 416, Bombay Dyeing Shares opened at Rs. 1,920 and sagged to Rs. 1,906, Kohinoor Shares opened at Rs. 439 and quietened at Rs. 436. The market was irregular.

TEXTILE:—Ahmd Advance 2/8, Apollo 4/7, Bharat Spg 74/8, Bom Dyeing 1906/4, Cent India 418/12, Century 895/0, Colaba 222/8, Dawn 1575, Edward 690, Elphinstone 103, Finlay 807/8, Gokak 324, Hindustan 4010, Ind Bleaching 195, Ind United 16/8, Ind United 3/8, Indore 942/8, Khatau 383/8, Kohinoor 637/8, Lakshmi 1337/8, Madhavji 21/12, Minerva 305/8, Model Nagpur 287/8, Madhusudan 486/4, Meyer 211/4, Morarji 675, Mysore 322/8, New Great 386, Phoenix 640, Podar 403/12, Sassoon Silk 103/8, Sassoon Spg 27/12, Shreenivas 427/8, Sholapur 8700, Simplex 256, Swadeshi 551, Swan 323, Tata Mills 62, Vishnu 502/8, Western India 3650.

INSURANCE:—Bom Life 227/8, Empire Life 785, Vulcan 16/6, Oriental 6150, New India 83/4 Indus Prudent 45, Ind Mercantile 75, Jupiter 34/4

HYDRO & ELEC:—Ahmd Electric 231/4, And Valley 1880, Ajmer 14/6, Bom Tram 48/8, Bom Suburban 122/8, Broach 3/14, Karachi 258/12, Poona 305, Surat Old 222/8, Surat New Rs. 50/pd 70, Tata Power Ordy 882, Tata Hydr 206

BANK:—Baroda Old 141, India 177/8, Central 74/4, Imperial F P 195, Imperial P P 574/6, Reserve Bank 18, Habib 8, U Co Bank 8/8, Union 9/2

PREF SHARES:—7 p c And Valley 682/8, 6 p c Bom Steamer 360 7 p c Bom Tram 74/8, Bradbury Prf 557, 5 p c Cent India 740, Elphinstone 135, 6-1/2 p c Jupiter 2/4, 6-2 p c Surat 198, 6 p c Tata I & S 1st 221/4, 7-1/2 p c Tata 2nd 169/8, 7-1/2 p c Tata Power 785, 7 p c Tata Hydro 17, 7 p c Vishnu 787

DEBENTURES:—4 p c And Valley 107/8, 4 p c Tata Power 107/10, 4 p c Tata Chemical 220, 6 p c Marsland Price 121

RAILWAY:—Ahmd Pranti 770, Cent Province 104, Dhond Baramati 118, Hoshiarpurdoab 198, Mandrabhom 112, Mymensing Rtd 110, Mymensing Gtd 110, Sarasiraiganj 108, Sialkot Naroval 119, Sialkot New 60

MISCE:—Alembic 390, Alcock 515, Asso Cement 235, Burma Old 405, Burma New 150, Belapur 245/8, B B Petrol 7/6-1/2, Bom Steamer 640, Invest Trust 117/8, Prem Const 225, Port Canning 109, Scindia 85/11, Shivrajpur 59, Tata Chemical 30/2, Tata Oil 85/12, Tata Ordy 415/8, Tata Defd 2241/4, Wimco 232/12

GOVT SECURITIES:— 3-1/2 p c G P Notes 99/7, 3 p c 1963-65 Loan 98/13, 3 p c 1966-68 Loan 98/2, 4 p c 1960-70 Loan 112/9-1/2, 4-1/2 p c 1955-60 Loan 115/14, 3-1/2 p c 1947-50 Loan 103/4

3 p c 1946 Def 1st 102/2, 3 p c 1949-52 2nd 100/14, 3 p c 1951-54 3rd 100/6, 3 p c 1953-55 4th 100/3, 3 p c 1954 Mic Loan 100/8/8

CORPORATION DEBENTURES:— 4 p c B P T 1974 113, 4 p c M Deb 1974 113, 5 p c M Deb 1959 120/8, 6 p c M Deb 1954 130, 6 p c K P T 1956 129

TAX FREE LOANS

5 p c 1945-55 Loan 104/10
4 p c 1953-63 Loan 123/6
5 p c Mysore 1955 135

BULLION: Yesterday London Gold was unchanged at £8-8-0. Dollar Sterling Cross rate was 4.02 1/2 to 4.03 1/2 at London and 4.03 1/2 at New York. London Spot and Forward Silver quotations were unchanged at 23 1/2d. and New York Spot Silver was quoted at 44 3/4 cents: The local market was quiet to-day under the influence of war news. Forward Silver for the next settlement after declining to Rs. 132/12 steadied at Rs. 133/4. Gold also declined to Rs. 73/10 and later steadied at Rs. 73/13. Tone was quiet.

The market ruled quiet with moderate selling closing quotations Ready Silver Rs. 132/4. Next Settlement Rs. 130/12. Ready Gold Rs. 73/4 forward Rs. 73/4.

COTTON: Under the influence of war news the local market opened today steady at Rs. 422 for July delivery but there being no demand prices sagged to Rs. 420/4. Tone was very quiet and longs are liquidating.

There was heavy short covering today a professional bear operator and July stood at Rs. 422/12. The market closed at 6 p. m. as under:—

ICC July 422 4 0
ICC September 434 12 0

COTTON ARRIVALS: Khandesh 222, Berar 1,059, Dholeras 380, Broach 923, Compta 150. Total 5,734 Bales.

HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES.

July	421/12	418/8	427/4
September	433	429/4	432/12
	Hi.	Lo.	Close.

READY COTTON QUOTATIONS.

	New.
Khandesh Jarilla	285/360
Berar Jarilla	360/390
289 F. Jarilla	500/540
N. T. Jarilla	460/480
289 F. Saw-ginned	580/605

COTTON PARITY: Indian Cotton July contract is below New York July 482 cent points at Exchange rate 331.

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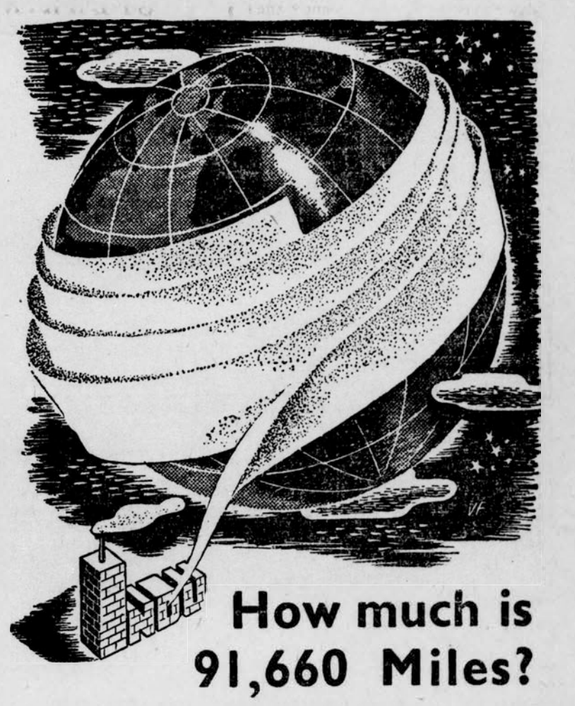

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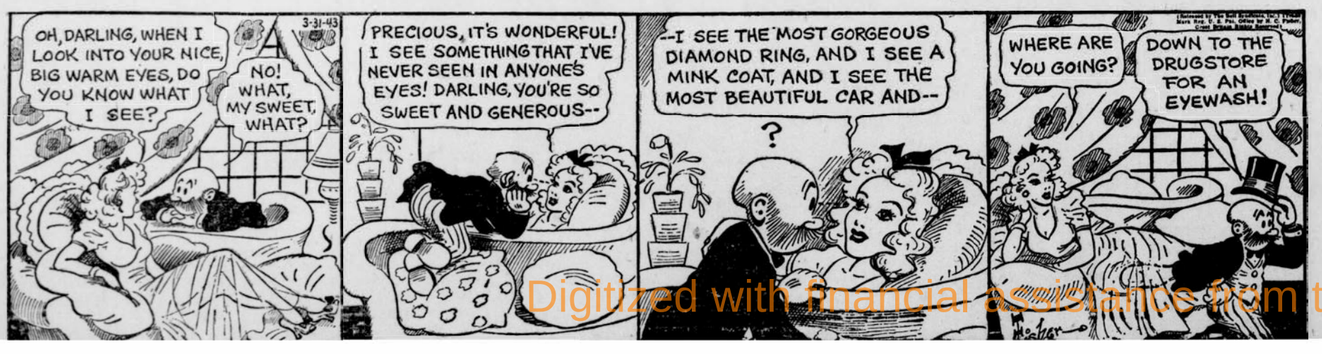
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POSTMASTER-GENERAL,
BOMBAY.
(9043)

INDIAN ORDNANCE FACTORIES

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for temporary posts of Supervisor Trainees in Indian Ordnance Factories on the terms detailed below.

(a) Candidates will receive a monthly subsistence allowance of Rs. 50/-, plus dearness allowance, during their period of training, which is from 6 to 18 months, and are not eligible for overtime pay during training.

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(d) LEAVE:—As admissible under the rules for workmen in Ordnance Factories.

Candidates should have passed the I.Sc. examination of a University or an equivalent examination, or have had at least three years' experience in an Engineering or Chemical Works in addition to technical education.

Candidates must be prepared to take up employment in Kirkee or elsewhere in India.

2. Applications should be sent by post to the Director of Factory Recruitment, 30, Park Street Calcutta, so as to reach him by the 15th June, 1944, envelopes being superscribed "SUPERVISOR TRAINEE".

3. Originals of testimonials should not be sent.

4. No correspondence can be entered into in regard to applications.

5. Canvassing in any form will entail disqualification.

K. L. KAPUR,
P.C.S.
Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Department of Supply,
Calcutta.
(9089)

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS FOR ENLISTMENT of candidates for recruitment to clerical posts will be received by the Director of Public Health for the Government of Bombay, Connaught House, Poona, Upto 25th June, 1944. Only those who have passed at least the Matriculation examination of the Bombay University should apply.

Particulars regarding name in full, place and date of birth, caste and sub-caste, educational qualifications, languages known, knowledge of typing and short-hand, and certificate of good character should be furnished.

On enlistment, each candidate will be attached to an office and will get acting vacancies, if available, in the scale of Rs. 30-5/2-55 and will draw dearness allowance as may be sanctioned by Government from time to time. Any further information required will be supplied on request.

(9111)

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that as the undermentioned Policies are reported to have been destroyed in the Explosion that took place in Bombay on 14th April, 1944, duplicate Policies will be issued to the parties, unless objection is lodged with the Company within one month from the date hereof.

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4.	"	"	540	"	"	"	"	Y. B. Gadhve.
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H. N. ASHAR,
Mg. Director.
(9117)

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(3) They must be physically fit generally and their appointment will be subject to passing a medical examination by the Railway Medical Officer.

Applications should reach the Dy. General Manager, Grain Shop Department, Churchgate, by the 15th instant.

9087

NOTICE

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from Technically qualified and experienced men for the posts of Part-time Teachers in Engineering, Textile, Chemistry and Typography, Trades for the Evening Classes under the Government Apprentice Scheme, at V. J. T. Institute, Matunga, Bombay.

2. Full particulars and form of application may be obtained from the Part-Time Principal, Govt. Apprentice Scheme, V. J. Tech. Institute, Bombay.

3. Applications in the prescribed form must reach the Part-Time Principal, ON OR BEFORE 17TH JUNE, 1944.

9114

SYDENHAM COLLEGE OF COMMERCE, BOMBAY

ADMISSIONS to the First Year Class will be made on 12th June. Applicants must produce certified details of Matriculation marks at the interview. No vacancies in the Inter or Senior Classes.

9083

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APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from persons of suitable academic and technical qualifications for the post of an Officer in the grade Rs. 275-25-500 plus a motor car allowance of Rs. 75/- p.m. The principal duties of the officer will be—(1) Supervision of the Building Control Department of the Trust; (2) Management of local enquiry work in the compilation of statistics for the framing of schemes; (3) general assistance to the Chairman in the disposal of Trust work. Preference will be given to those possessing administrative and technical experience suitable to the post. Knowledge of local conditions will be an additional advantage. Starting salary at a suitable intermediate stage in the above grade may be allowed to an applicant with required ability and qualifications. Applications stating age, educational and technical qualifications, details of past service, with precise nature of duties performed, and other relevant data, accompanied by copies of testimonials should reach the Chairman of the Trust Regal Buildings, New Delhi, not later than the 24th June 1944. Persons already in service should forward their applications through their employers. Persons offered an interview will not be allowed travelling expenses.

(9077)

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the post of an Assistant Superintendent, Government Silk Farm, Hindalge, Belgaum, in the Department of Industries, Bombay, on Rs. 100/- p. m. in the grade of Rs. 100-5-175. Candidates should possess a degree in Botany or Zoology of a recognised University and/or should possess practical experience in Mulberry cultivation, Silk-worm rearing, preparation of Cellular Seeds etc., for a period of 5 to 6 years. For details and application form write to the Director of Industries, Old Custom House Yard, Fort, Bombay. The last date for receiving applications is 30th June 1944.

S. D. VASHIST,
I/C Director of Industries.
(1)

NOTICE

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(7)

WANTED.

APPLICATIONS for temporary posts of SUB-INSPECTORS in the Excise Department are invited from qualified candidates domiciled in the Province of Bombay so as to reach the Commissioner of Excise, Bombay not later than 5th July, 1944.

Applicants should supply full details in the printed prescribed form of application, copies of which can be obtained from the Chief Account Officer of Excise, Bombay on payment of rupee one for each form either in cash or by an uncrossed Indian Postal Order in his favour.

Appointments will be made purely in a temporary capacity and candidates with "Approved War Service" may be given preference while filling up permanent posts.

T. E. STREATFIELD,
Commissioner of Excise.
Bombay, 2nd June, 1944.
(2)

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the following posts at the Elphinstone Technical High School, Bombay:—

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Candidates should be below 30 years of age on the date of appointment.

Prescribed forms of application and further particulars can be had on request from the Head Master of the School, Aga Hall, Nesbit Road, Mazagaon, Bombay to whom application should be addressed so as to reach him on or before 25th June, 1944.

S. D. VASHIST,
I/C Director of Industries.
Bombay, 31st May, 1944.
(9116)

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J. B. MORPURIA,
Manager.
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BATLIVALA & KARANI,
Savoy Chambers,
Dalal St. Fort, Bombay.
(6)

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

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(9115)

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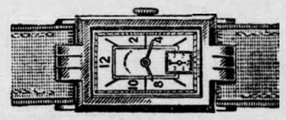

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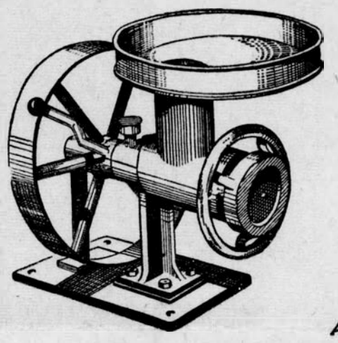

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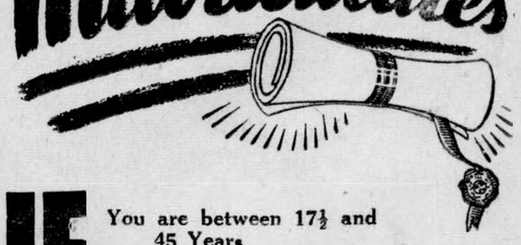

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